Tomorrow

Sotheby's and the single woman: Art and antiques appreciation courses, like the "collectors weeks" ran by Sotherby's, are becoming something of a growth industry – and most of the

participants are women.
On the Friday Page Gillian Moore explains that there's more to be collected than the auctioneer knows. Also, Shirley Lowe meets Twiggy as she begins the beguine on Broadway.

Shares go beyond 700 mark

FT index for the first time, but failed to hold at their best levels. The index ended the day 3.8 up, still at a record 699 close

Probation staff strike for a day

Probation officers in England and Wales held a one-day strike yesterday in protest against a Home Office decision to reduce trainees' pay. The National Association of Probation Officers claimed up to 90 per cent

Strike rejected

The Civil and Public Services Association voted against strike action over a pay offer in defiance of their left-wing executive. Rejection of mili-tancy by the white collar civil servants is seen as a govern-

Abortion defeat

The Dublin Government was defeated last night on its proposed wording for a constitutional amendment on abortion. The rival wording of Fianna Fail, and the Bill to amend the constitution, were passed and a referendum on the issue is expected by the end of

Penlee 'spite'

Mr George Beattie, Counsel for the Coastguard Service, called the "daily recital of blame" against the service at the Penlee lifeboat inquiry a tawdry campaign of spite Page 2 Page 2

Judges 'biased'

A senior barrister's allegation that many judges help to weaken the legal system by being heavily biased in favour of prosecutors was described by a former judge as "bloody Page 3



Brothels plea

Mr Ronald Gregory, the Chief Constable of West Yorkshire, who retires in June, said last night that he would like to see prostitution legalised in "prop-erly controlled establishments". Critics attack, page 4

Kidnap plea

Princess Anne, president of the Save the Children Fund, has called for the quick release of the agency's seven kidnapped workers by Tigrai guerrillas in Page 6

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TIMES

Multi-choice T next year as cable goes ahead

By Bill Johnstone and Kenneth Gosling

Britain within the next year, the in broadcasting standards. Government announced yester-

day.

They will be the forerunners of a complete network of multi-channel cable systems to be set up throughout the UK. Viewers can expect to pay about £10 per month for the service.

The cable companies will be controlled by a new authority with powers similar to those of the Independent Broadcasting

The decision to create such a body shows the Government's rejection of arguments in favour of unregulated cable television. Outlining the Government's

policy in the Commons yester-day, Mr William Whitelaw, the Home Secretary, said: "The Government is auxious that the cable authority should ensure high standards of programme services. The same rules regarding good taste and decency as apply to BBC and IBA programmes will apply to all cable channels."

Details of the policy are contained in a 90 page White Paper which was published after the Home Secretary's state-

The powers of the proposed cable authority are considered fought off the enthusiam of the favoured minimum regulation, sufficient encouragement for

system is a high priority. We shall announce our proposals

But in spite of the Prime

Minister's strong, personal lead

in Cabinet committee, no final

conclusion has yet been reached

on the issue. Once a decision

had been reached, there would

Nevertheless, Mr Tom King,

the Secretary of State for the

Environment, said in Com-

mons questions yesterday that

ministers were concerned "about the demands being

made on a number of ratepayers

by the most irresponsible labour authirities, who appear

to have no regard at all for the

problems faced by both their industrial, commercial and

domestic ratepayers."
He pointed out that the

Greater London Council, the

Inner London Education Auth-

ority and 16 other authorities

from them actually, this year,

tondon & Liverpool Trust,

the company which planned to

screen the matches on its big-

screen Telejector video sets last

night announced that it was

The company said there were a number of obstacles which

would prevent the deal becom-

ing financially viable. It has

decided instead to screen films

on its Telejector sets, which

have already been installed in

pulling out of the deal.

be an announcement.

shortly."

Twelve local cable television The Home Office has been British programme makers. companies, offering dozens of concerned that unregulated programmes running simul cable television in Britain taneously, will be operating in would lead to the deterioration

The White Paper points out that the legislation required to create the new authority. Will make it clear that cable television channels will be subject to the provisions of the Obscene Publications Act." The Government has firmly rejected the possibility of cable oper-ators offering "adult channels". The 12 new franchises would be expected to be awarded within the next few months after the parliamentary debate on the White Paper but those networks would not be expected to be in operation for another year. The existing cable operators in Britain, now offering five or six channels, will be able to expand their services immediately after the Commons debate with the appropriate Home Office

approval.
The BBC and independent television are to be protected, since all cable operators will carry them on their networks. "Pay as you view" services will be allowed for certain events. but not for those which have previously been the province of the public broadcasters.

That aspect was welcomed by the Independent Television Companies Association, which to be a victory for the Home also hailed advertising controls Office, which has for months proposed in the White Paper.

fought off the enthusiam of the But the association regretted Department of Industry which what it called the lack of

complete charge and has de out, it is understood that the night that the United States had clared in a written Commons Prime Minister has been wed in its hands the power to "keep

sales tax or a method of capping

rates increases, thereby forcing

extravagant authorities to eco-

nomize. It was said fast night

that a sales tax raised imposs-

ible political barriers, not least because of the small business

lobby.

If only the domestic rate

burden of an estimated £5,000m

were to be switched to a sales tax, it would entail a savage

increase in prices, pushing value

of 22 per cent.

Ministers have been struggling with the problem since

they published a green paper, Alternatives to Domestic Rates, in December, 1981, and Mrs. Thatcher took charge of the

matter, last month, when one

Cabinet committee suggested

that only the most modest

Meanwhile, election fever was sustained by Labour's national executive, which yes-

immediate pre-election cam-

pubs. The comapny said that this would prevent the resale of

matches for screening else-

After seeking legal advice, London & Liverpool also

expressed some concern about

the Football League's rights to

negotiate
The withdrawal of the offer

strengthens the hand of BBC

and ITV negotiators, whose

£5.3m offer for exclusive rights

to screen matches over two

seasons has been mrned down

reform was possible.

had pushed up the average rate national executive, which yes-increase to 6.5 per cent. "Apart terday voted £500,000 for an

on average, there were no rate paign in marginal constitu-increases." He also said: "In encies and the national press.

£8m 'football in pubs'

video deal called off

Football League mathees on the league had insisted on large video sets installed in retaining the copyright of public houses and clubs has been called off.

The community exists that the league had insisted on the league had

added tax up to the equivalent.

Thatcher pledge on

rating reform

By Anthony Bevins, Political Correspondent

delivered a firm, public pledge in which funds are raised, it is that her next election manifesto very important to ensure that will contain proposals for a the demands made are kept as reform of the rating system. low as possible.

After years of internal Whitehall Although the Ministers said

After years of internal Whitehall Although the Ministers said obstruction and procrastination, Mrs Thatcher has taken sive review had been carried complete charge and has de-

The Prime Minister has any question of looking at ways

The Government has re ceived many requests on this subject and British film makers were particularly concerned about an influx of cheap American programmes.

But the Association of Cinematograph Television and Al-lied Technicians (ACTT) was sceptical last night.
It said the White Paper was a

chapter of lost opportunities. "It includes proposals that threaten existing -networks, which will be deprived of revenue, and it attacks our national cultural standards.

"ACTI demands a British quota of material of not less than the 86 per cent that operates for the BBC and ITV. There was also anger about the Government's decision not to give British Telecom a

monopoly to provide cable to

Mr Bryan Stanley, general secretary of the Post Office Engineering Union, said it would ensure Britain had two cable systems with a massive and wasteful duplication of resources and "all the chaos of

duplicated ducting schemes".
It missed an historical opportunity to provide a single new communications infrastructure to reach every part of the country eventually and that would be publicly owned and

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Pledge by

Reagan to

fight 'fire

in our yard

From Christopher Thomas

in its hands the power to "keep

in the hemisphere.

democracy and freedom.

market.

several blocks.

The rest of the speech amounted to a somewhat tepid

criticism of newspapers for not

emphasizing good news, such as

signs of economic progress, lower inflation and interest

rates, slower growth in federal spending and a healthy stock-

brought to a near-standstill, long before the President arrived, by hundreds of police-

men and the sealing of several

streets around the Waldorf

Astoria Hotel. Tempers flared on the warmest day of the year

spending and higher taxes.

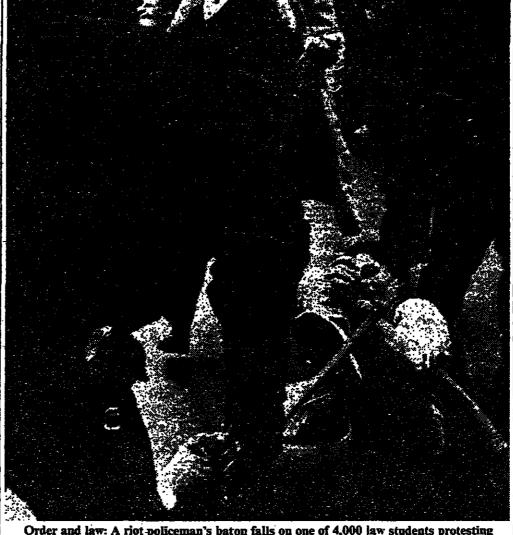
"I think the generosity and

compassion of most Americans

coverage than it has recieved."

Central Manhattan

In a speech to the American



Order and law: A riot-policeman's baton falls on one of 4,000 law students protesting in Paris yesterday at education reforms. Report, page 8

Tory Catholics divide over letter to CND leader

By Cliff Longley and Nicholas Timmins

Mgr Bence Kent is likely to be allowed to remain as general secretary of the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament until after the general election, unless the campaign's factics. become more party political

This became clear yesterday as Roman Catholic Conserva-tive MPs divided over Cardinal Basil Hume's statement on Mgr Kent's position, which was published in The Times yester-

New York

Presedent Reagan, speaking of the "worrying" military threat in Central America, said last day.
Sir Hugh Fraser, Conservative MP for Stafford and Stone, and Mr Norman St John-Stevas, Conservative MP for Chelmsford, both supported the Mgr Ket to continue for the

Newspaper Publishers Associtime being his role in CND. Sir John Biggs Davison, ation in New York before returning to Washington for his important Central American Conservative MP for Epping Forest, said, however, that "the speech to Congress, he said the scandal of Mgr Kent's deser-US was not accustomed to tion of priestly work for political militancy should be worrying about a military threat ended at once".

"We have almost taken for granted friendly, independent neighbours, but we can no Cardinal Hume, Archbishop of Westminster, declined publicly to expand on the terms of his longer ignore the fire-burning in statement, which was in the our front yard. We must respond with firmness and form of a standard letter to Roman Catholics who wrote to unity and firmness of purpose." him about Mgr Dent, or to He said all the people of the hemisphere were Americans answer hypothetical questions about what his attitude would and all had a share in a future of be in certain eventualities.

But privately it was said on

his behalf that he had no quarrel with the last paragraph of yesterday's leader in The Times. This suggested that Mgr Kent should be allowed to continue his CND work at least until the general election.

Sir Hugh, a former Con-servative Defence Minister, said: "I think Cardinal Hume's statement was the right one. "It is correct to let Mgr Kent continue at the present time. If at an election CND were to take the side of one party or the other, or were to operate as a political party itself, that would be the time Bruce Kent should

.pull out. Mr St John-Stevas, a for Conservative leader of the Commons, said that he agreed with the cardinal's position in favour of multilateral rather than unilateral disarmament.

"There is a danger as we approach an election of his being, as a priest, involved in political controversy, and the cardinal was right to sound a warning note. But I certainly would not support in any way a witch-hunt against Mgr Kent." Mrs Joan Ruddock, the chairman of CND, said that it

was "another indication of the pressure that is being brought bear". But she said that CND's

position on party politics was now established. The campaign

would not be running its own candidates in the general election, nor would it endorse any political party or individual candidates, although its opposition to Conservative nuclear defence policies meant that it wanted the Government changed. "However much more politically controversial the issues may become, CND's stance in terms of party politics

will not change." Other Roman Catholic politicians and clerics supported the cardinal's stance.

Mrs Shirley Williams, SDP MP for Crosby, who is not a unilateralist said: "If CND became totally associated with one political party, and said 'you must vote for Labour candidates', I could see there would be some embarrassment. But short of that I would strongly defend Mgr Kent's right to continue".

The Archbisop of Liverpool, Mgr David Worlock, said: "I am of course in entire agree-ment with principles on which Cardinal Hume made his decision three years ago (to allow Mgr Kent to work for CND), and with his present evaluation of the situation. The question at issue is about the ministry of a priest and not about whether CND is a valid

Christian option".
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Hess son believes diaries are real

From Michael Binyon

Herr Wolf-Rúdiger Hess, son of Rudoif Hess, the Fuhrer's deputy, said yesterday he believed the Hitler diaries were genuine and he would appeal to the four allied powers in Berlin to allow his father to study

them. Herr Hess spent two hours a Stern magazine's offices in Hamburg yesterday and was shown several of the diaries. He also spent a long time talking to Herr Gerd Heidemann, the Stern reporter who discovered them. In a statement after-wards, Herr Hess declared: "I have no reason to doubt the authenticity of the diaries"

authenticity of the diaries".

He added that only his father could judge whether the diary entries were really written by Hitler, and for this reason he would formally apply to the allied governors of Spandau prison in Berlin, where his father has been imprisoned since 1946, to be allowed to take some of the volumes to his some of the volumes to his father for inspection.

Herr Hess wants to ask his father whether the Hess signature which is on a piece of paper stuck on the outside of some of the 60 volumes, together with two red seals that may have been affixed by Hess, are

forgeries.

He said yesterday: "If he signed and sealed the volumes, then he must also have had a

look inside". Herr Hess, who has cam-paigned tirelessly for his father's release and the amelioration of his prison conditions, pointed out, however, that under the rules laid down by the British, Americans, French and Rus-sians who jointly administer Spandau and take it in turns to guard its sole inmate, Rudolf Hess is forbidden to send or receive any information about the era from 1933 to 1945.

On Tuesday Herr Hess visited his father to mark his eighty-nineth birthday. During the visit, as at all those permitted once a month, four prison directors - one from each of the four powers - and two guards were present. A partition separates Hess from his visitors and no handshaking or physical contact are permitted. If the conversation ever touches on the forbidden period, the guards immediately intervene.

Hess is completely unaware of the controversy now raging in the world about the Hitler diaries. It would appear unlikely that he can be permitted to inspect them, for even if the three Western allies were to agree to this departure from the strictly enforced rules, the Russians almost certainly would not.

Although the Americans are now guarding the prison. Spandau is jointly administered and the three Western allies are not in a position to flout the agreed prison conditions. Frau Hess, who is old and

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Greeks jail pilots of death crash jet

From Mario Modiano, Athens

two months and 15 days each yesterday for an aircrash after a faulty landing in which 14 passengers were killed and 19 injured.

as traffic jams built up along Mr Fritz Schmutz, aged 47, the Swiss pilot, and Mr Martin Deuringer, aged 37, his West German co-pilot who was at the In his speech, Mr Reagan urged newspaper publishers to bear in mind the good news when they faced "pleas from controls during touchdown, were evidently shocked when Washington and maybe your own editorial writers" for more they heard the three-judge court deliver the sentence.

with bail of about £15,000, told journalists later: "The verdict is towards those who suffered completely incomprehensible to during the recent recession They reserved further deserves a little more news comment until after their

appeal is heard. He acknowledged that bizarre The trial has made legal or unpleasent events were history, according to jurists since this is the first time that unusual, but added: "There is another kind of news as well, pilots in Europe have been the kind that lifts our spirits by sentenced for involvement in providing insights into the kind an accident of their plane. of people we are and the kind of

A Swissair spokesman said Herr Deuringer was being Pilots Associations.

A Greek court gave two suspended from duty until the Swissair pilots cumulative case was concluded. Mr prison sentences of five years, Schmutz left Swissair two years

ago after 19 years.
The accident occured on October 7, 1979, when a Swissair DC8 airliner from Zurich bound for Peking, landed at Athens at night after a heavy rainfall, and overshot the TUDWAY.

The prosecution accused the pilots of flying too fast, touching down too far along the 3,000-metre runway and failing to brake in time.

The pilots_argued that they had not been warned about the slippery condition of the runway, and had faulty lights.
The court heard that the

defects of that runway at Athens Airport had already been brought to the attention of the Greek authorities.

Foreign pilots could be asked to boycott Athens Airport if no remedial action were taken, said a representatie of The International Federation of Air Line

TV-am search for cash

Confidential talks continued vesterday at the headquarters of TV-am in Camden Lock, north London, 10 reach agreement on a financial package to save the struggling breakfast television

The station, reported to be losing £600,000 a month and down to 300,000 viewers, is seeking to restore to £3m its bank overdraft from the £1.5m to which it was reduced last

Journalists and technicians have agreed to reduce expenses and other measures to save £1.5m a year. TV-am refused to comment last night.

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Tchaikovsky. Symphony No.6 Webern, Six Pieces Op.6



2,000 pubs and clubs. seasons has b London & Liverpool said by the league. society we live in." Fears over Syria dominate Shultz talks

From Christopher Walker, Jerusalem

The military intelligence added that it was a joint interest

concern about the growing have dominated a meeting seen Soviet involvement in Syria as the most important Mr emerged last night as a central feature of the first of two initial Secretary of State, and Mr Menachem Begin, the Israeli

Prime Minister. During the hour long session at the Prime Minister's office, it was disclosed for the first time by General Ehnd Barach, head of Israeli military intelligence, that Soviet pilots were now flying helicopters to Syria for the purpose of electronic war-

Shultz has yet held on his Middle East mission, also revealed that as many as 4,000 meetings to be held between Mr revealed that as many as 4,000 George Shultz the United States Soviet advisers were now serving in Syria and operating two SAM 5 anti-aircraft missile batteries as well as what was described as a sophisticated communications link up" with

> Mr Shultz had expressed US concern at the Russian build up and that Mr Begin - whose chief

spokesman characterized the meeting as "very friendly" -

Serious American and Israeli briefing, which is understood to Moscow. Israeli sources reported that



Haddad (left) and Begin: Diplomatic obstacle

of the United States and Israel. Poignancy was added to the meeting by reports a few hours earlier that Syrian troops had opened fire at Israelis across the tenuous, twisting ceasefire line in Lebanon's occupied Bekaa

began, exactly four months since the deadlocked negotiations between Israel, Lebanon and the US opened, Mr Begin told Knesset committeee that Israel coul make no concessions over the future role of Major Saad Haddad, the south Lebanese militia leader. despite differences with Washington over the issue.
The future role of the

Before last nights meeting

maverick major, who was cashiered by the Lebanese Army in 1979 has emerged as the main stumbling preventing an American diplomatic breakthrough,

Valley for the second time in 24 package

station from collapse

By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

It doubted whether obtaining

Sir John Eden, the committee

during the campaign. He said that the committee had recommended that for an experimental period registration

Mr Nader: "Break the law

if necessary".

elections. He admired the

determination of the Ecology Party in Britain, which stood in

"If a newer and bigger British

Green party had as many votes as the German Green party, it would not have one member in

Wilson explained. The West

German system of proportional

representation has enabled the

with a small vote.
Friends of the Earth wanted

100 or even 300 signatures would have any real significance in indicating a candi-

date's level of support.

An increase in the parliamenand the granting of postal the campaign, the very time it register at their embassies.

Votes to holiday-makers were needed the money.

But the committee concluded mittee's proposal that the right recommended yesterday by a But the committee concluded committee of Conservative and that: "Some sanction is needed Labour MPs.

mittee on Home Affairs, expressing the hope that its proposals would be leaded at the proliferation of candidates, particularly at byproposals would be legislated on of publicity out of all pro-carly in the next parliament, portion to their appeal to the also concluded, after a long electorate". inquiry into the Representation of the People Acts, that the threshold below which the election deposit is forfeited should be lowered from 12.5 to 7.5 per cent, that measures should be taken to improve the accuracy of the electoral register and that Irish citizens living in Britain should retain the right chairman, however, acknow-ledged at a press conference the difficulty for parties in being deprived of such large sums

The deposit has been fixed at £150 since it was introduced in 1918. But the proposal to increase it was attacked yesterday by the Liberal Party, which said the committee had given no good reason for making the right to stand dependent on the size of a party's or candidate's

ank balance. That failed to impress the In evidence to the committee Liberals, who said: "No local the Liberals and some minority party treasurer could afford parties suggested that the to rely on such a vague deposit be abolished and that possibility". candidates be required to demonstrate their support by having a given number of signatures appended to their living abroad. Sir John said that nomination papers. The Liberal suggestion was 0.5 per cent

The Liberals said that a Armed Forces and Crow tary election deposit from £150 £1,000 deposit would require a servants was hard to defend. to £1,000, extension of voting party fighting nationally to Some felt it should be granted rights to British citizens living hand over more than £500,000, to all British citizens resident in the European Community which would be frozen during abroad who took the trouble to

> should be given to UK citizens living in the EEC who had against the proliferation of previously lived in the UK was There was a similar division

on the committee's proposal to give holiday makers postal votes, provided they apply before departure, specify an address in the UK or elsewhere to which the ballot paper is sent. and that the application is recieved not later than midday on the eleventh day before the poll, excluding Saturdays and

The Labour members argued that a large extension to holiday-makers would mean giving absent voting on demand an pose the threat of corruption. but the committee concluded:
"We are stongly of the opinion
that the risk of abuse would be outweighed by the desirability of giving the vote to those who, due to circumstances beyond their control, are unable to exercise it in person".

The committee described the

12.5 per cent deposit threshold unduly severe" and it was only the casting vote of Sir John that it proposed a cut to 7.5 per The committee divided along party lines over the extension of the franchise to British citizens cent rather than 5 per cent. First report from the Home Affairs Committee, Session 1982-83; Rep-resentation of the People Acts, (Stationary Office, £4.15). the majority view was that the restriction of the right to the



Bureaux grant cut is reversed

The National Association of Customs and Excise. A firm of Citizens' Advice Bureaux was management consultants is to confident last night that the be appointed to examine the

independent review of its staffing and management struc-working would result in extra ture of the national association, funding for the organization and a senior partner of that firm from both central and local will be a member of the review That ironic outcome of two member will be announced unhappy weeks for the advice

criticism by Dr Gerard Vaug-han, the Minister for Consumer Affairs, was foreseen after Dr Vaughan had announced in the Commons yesterday that he had reversed his decision to withhold half of this year's £6m grant and that the terms of reference for the review would be to make recommendations with a view to ensuring that the association gives the best possible service and support to ocal CABs.

The review team is to be chaired by Sir Douglas Lovelock, who recently rired as chairman of the Board of

Left-wing union leaders the AUEW, would be reversed yesterday won what is likely to at the Blackpool conference be a short-lived victory in their The left's one vote victory be a short-lived victory in their efforts to forestall a moderate takeover of the TUC General

team. The name of a third shortly. Transport Mrs Elizabeth Filkin, director of the association, said last night: "We are looking forward to the review because we are

The bureaux recieve £6m from the Government and £15m from local authorities and Mrs Filkin said there had been reports of local grant aid being withheld because of the last

formight's publicity.
She welcomed Dr Vaughan's statement that he was considering sending a circular to local authorities telling them to continue supproting the CABs.

Victory by left may be short-lived

Council. By 19 votes to 18 the general council agreed to allow two autonomous sections of the and General agricultural and textile workers, to affiliate independently to the

If endorsed by the full Trades Union Congress in September, the decision will add more than 120,000 votes to the "small constituency of the general council, making it more likely that the left can win all 11 seats that are still open to

But right-wing union leaders were last night confidently predicting that yesterday's vote, taken in the absence of some ntinue supproting the CABs.

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prominent moderates, including Mr Terrence Duffy, president of

National Union of Mineworkers, the president, Mr Arthur Scargill, and vice-president, Mr

Michael McGahey, turned up to reverse last month's decision, reached by the same tiny margin, to refuse independent affiliation for the 85,000 agri-cultural workers and 37,000 dyers and bleachers. On that occasion Mr Len

Murray, general secretary of the TUC, voted with the moderate majority. But he abstained yesterday, arguing that it was not right for him to influence the actual implementation of a new rule giving all unions with more than 100,000 members an automatic seat on the general council.

Yesterday's tactical victory for the left marks the latest stage in a power struggle dating back

more than two years. Stalemate on private

dive to a great depth without damaging its ears. The fossil skull reported by Professor Philip Gingerich and Dr Neil Wells of the University of Michigan and colleagues from France and Pakistan, was found among those of land mammals including freshwater fish, turtles and crocodiles, indicating that Pakicetus lived on land, near

> Source: Science, April 22 (vol 220 p 403) 1983. @ Nature-Times News Service

Science Report

Early Link

in chain

of whales

found

By the Staff of Nature A skull with a structure half

way between that of a whale and a tapir-like mammal has been found among fossils of land mammals at Chorlakki in

the Kohat District of Pakistan.

Analysis suggests that the skull belonged to the most primitive ancestor of whales yet discovered, an animal of the early Eocene period, around 52 million years ago, which spent at least part of its life on land, probablly at the state of the state of

water's edge.

The key to understanding the life style of the ancestral whale, called Pakicetus, has

been its ear bones, preserved intact in the fossilized skull.

There are large differences

between the ears of land and

water mammals, principally because the sound waves transmitted in water have a

transmitted in water have a much longer wave length than those transmitted in air. That means that the mammalian ear, which is adapted for hearing on land, is too sensitive for hearing in water.

To overcome that, modern whales have developed a system which transmits sound

ribrations through the bones

of the ear. Since the Pakicetus skull

had an identifiable eardrum

the animal must have been mainly adapted for hearing on

land. However, it looks as if

the ear bones were also used to

transmit sound. Thus Pakice-

tus would probably have heard

better than most land animals

Pakicetus ears differed from

those of modern whales in a

further respect. The ears of

whales are surrounded by foam-filled cavities which

insulate one ear from the other, enabling them to func-

tion independently, and allow directional hearing. The sculi showed clearly

that Pakicetus did not have

insulating cavities , again suggesting that it as not fully

adapted to water. Futhermore,

because modern whales fill the cavities with blood while diving to protect their ears

from pressure, it seems that-Pakicetus, like man, could not

under water.

BBC film 'shows son's

innocence' The BBC yesterday denied accusations that a television film about the ordeal of Mr Jeremy Cartland, the writer. after his father's brutal murder

in France, was libellous. Mr David Eady, QC, for the corporation, rejected in the High Court allegations that the film gave grounds for supposing that Mr Cartland might have killed his father. "The funda-mental assumption of the film is of his innocence", he told Mr Justice Bristow and a jury.

Mr Eady was opening the defence on the second day of a libel action brought against the BBC by Mr Cartland, aged 38, of Porthail Street, Brighton,

"The message comes across very clearly that the purpose of the film is to give the viewer a vivid, dramatized reconstruction of the nightmare predica-ment Mr Cartland found himself trapped in at the hands of the French police", Mr Eady

said. "It assumes his innocence The film gave a "victim's eye view" of the events in France in 1973 after Mr Cartland's father, aged 60, a former secret agent, died in an axe attack and his son found himself facing murder accusations. The hearing

West London bomb find

A man caused a mass evacuation in west London yesterday when he took an unexploded wartime bomb which had been left on a footpath into a sweet shop. Hundreds of people, including school children, were moved out of the area near the shop, which Mr Gordon McCrae lives above in Golborne Road,

North Kensington. A bomb disposal squad blew up the 24-inch device on Wormwood Scrubs Common.

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Excessive secrecy 'a dismissal matter'

known.

By Hugh Clayton

British judges should be able to dismiss civil servants for excessive secrecy, Mr. Ralph Nader, the American environmental campaigner, said in London yesterday. Mr Des-Wilson, chairman of Friends of the Earth, called on civil servants to leak information about damaging government activities even if it meant breaking the law.

They were speaking at a press conference to open three days of rallies and meetings intended to demonstrate the existence in Britain of a "Green movement" linking ecologists, landscape conservation campaigners and the peace movement. Official secrecy seems to be

the only recession-proof indus-try in this country," Mr Nader said. "It is demeaning for British citizens to have to go to Washington for information instead of going directly to your own Government under com- elections it was certain to lose was taken. parable freedom of information

has described the Conservative Party as the party of the the House of Commons", Mr individual", he went on "But Wilson explained. The West the individual is prevented. from finding out what the Conservative Party is doing in a Greens to enter the Bundestag variety of government agen-

Mr Wilson said he saw no to encourage British environ-future in Britain for a "Green" mental groups not to form a party on the European pattern new political party, but to make because of the use of the first- 1984 the year in which they past-the-post system of voting attack secrecy by industry and past-the-post system of voting attack secrecy by in parliamentary and local public authorities.



Labour Correspondent
Eastbourne

A union leader issued a warning last night that Labour Party supporters must be prepared to counter a "vicious" election campaign being planned by the Conservatives. Mr Gavin Laird, general secretary of the Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers, told the union's national com-

mittee meeting in Eastbourne: "There is no doubt that the election campaign is going to be the most vicious imaginable, with the full weight of anti-Labour and anti-working class forces brought against us" He was speaking during a debate which reaffirmed the backing for withdrawal from the

EEC, despite an attempt by a section of the union's right-wing leadership to press for a referendum before a decision Mr Laird supported with-drawal, while Mr Terence Duffy, the union's president,

favoured a referendum That decision was taken despite a warning from Mr Duffy that Labour might have to seek partners in the next parliament, which he thought would be a hung parliament, and that the Social Democratic Liberal Alliance had ruled out the idea of forming a link with any party that did not support a referendum on the European

The union, which, with 850,000 votes has the second biggest block vote at the Labour Party conference, is still out of step with party policy on nuclear disarmament. A move by the left minority on the national committee to switch the union from its multilatera-

Government funds for

Mr James Prior Secretary of State for Northern Ireland said yesterday that his depart-ment was providing funds for the resettlement of terrorist "supergrasses" in Britain and

But he declined to confirm claims that the payments had sometimes run into six figures, and said only that "comparainvolved.

The Royal Ulster Constabulary had no budget for the protection, resettlement and maintenance of informers and their dependants, and had to obtain the money from the Northern Ireland Office. It was being provided under conditions of strict account-

Mr Prior defended using evidence from "converted ter-rorists" to convict their former associates in return for their

Mr Gerard Fitt, the Independent MP for West Belfast, yesterday branded terrorists who abandoned a 500-lb bomb near a police road block in Five hundred people had

Andersonstown as lunatics. to be moved from their homes on Tuesday night while the bomb was made safe..

Shopworkers to ban Kraft imports

A ban on the importation of have come from Kraft at all Kraft products was approved, Kirkby."
by 1000 delegates at the union Mr William Whatley, the by 1000 delegates at the union

dairy food company's move to decisions I have come across for transfer production from Kir-, a long time. It is absolutely kby, Liverpool, to Germany disgraceful."
and Belgium, with the loss of Mr Thoma more than 900 jobs.

The ban will not be enforced until June 20, to give time for further talks. If they are not successful many of Usdaw's 429,000 members, including shop assistants to lorry drivers, will be asked to seal off Britain from Kraft's other European

An emergency motion, which was given unanimous backing by delegates, instructed the union executive to black list all Kraft products imported by Usdaw workers. It also instructed the executive to ask other unions to stop Kraft goods entering Britain from June 30, unless the company reverses its decision.

Mr William Snell said: the north-west union organizer, said: "The only way to fight multinationals is in their pockets. Nothing must come into this country that should

The Penlee disaster inquiry

of shop, Distribution and Allied Usdaw general secretary, said: Workers' annual conference at "I believe that the decision to Blackpool yesterday.

The decision comes after the was one of the most cynical

> Mr Thomas the Labour MP for Bradford, south, who is sponsored by the union pledged Labour MPs' support.

> The union yesterday also firmly rejected attacking the Labour Party national executive committee's "witch hunt" of Militant Tendency, despite a campaign by the group's sup-

The main resolution was lost on a card vote of 87,725 to 147,195. It claimed that plans to expel members of Militant and sack parliamentary candidates were divisive and served only to

help the Conservatives. Mr Whatley accused Mr Jeff Price, the defeated presidential candidate, a supporter of Militant, and his colleagues of being responsible for driving Labour Party members away "Decent socialists who had been in the party for 30 to 40 years have been driven out, and it is happening on other parts of the country too", he said.

dustmen From Our Correspondent

Liverpool

Sir Trevor Jones, Liberal leader of Liverpool City Council, was jostled and heckled by 1,000 striking yesterday when he arrived for a meeting to discuss privatization of the city's cleansing service. The meeting ended in stalemate.

protection to force his way through the angry crowd. He and the Libral group were accused of a "political gim-mick" in delaying decision until after the local elections on May 5.

The policy and finance committee meeting was con-stantly interrupted by the chanting crowd outside. More

than 25,000 council employees staged a one-day protest strike over the issue, bringing the city's services to a standstill. Negotiations for privatizing the refuse service, which last year ran up losses of £4m have been held over the past 12 months. But at yesterday's

meeting Sir Trevor called for more discussions with union leaders to reach agreement on a new bonus scheme aimed at increasing productivity and reducing overmanning.

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'Macbeth witches in spite campaign'

By a Staff Reporter

at the Penlee lifeboat disaster at the Penlee lifeboat disaster coordination centre, and his inquiry had been "a tawdry campaign of spite". Mr George who were in charge of the rescue Beattie, for the service, told the attempt. He said they had acted final day of the hearing in entirely correctly, although he

Penzance yesterday.

He was replying to Mr Noel
Horner, representing the families of two of the dead
lifeboatmen, who had blamed two coastguard officers for doing "too little too late" to avert the tragedy on December 19, 1981, when the eight-man crew of the Solomon Browne lifeboat and eight people on board the coaster Union Star died in a storm off Land's End. Mr Beattie, criticized Mr too late. Horner, Captain Eric Kemp, secretary of the St Ives lifeboat, Captain Michael Sutherland, the former deputy launching authority of the Penlee lifeboat,

Lieutenant-Commander John Douglas, the former Chief Inspector of Coastguard, who had used the inquiry to criticize recent Coastguard reorganization and, particularly, the running down of Gwennap Head station, at Land's End.

Mr Beattie said they were like the witches of Macbeth. They had, he said, "pranced around stirring the steaming cauldron with shining eyes and grim He defended Mr Robbie

The daily recital of alle- trict controller at the new conceded that Mr Roberts could have anticipated earlier a Mayday message which never came from the Union Star. The inquiry had heard that the Solomon Browne had not

been requested to launch until one hour 37 minutes after the coaster first reported her engines broken down close to the Cornish cliffs. The Coastguard service had subsequently accepted that it was launched Mr Beattie said, however,

that even if the Solomon Browne had been launched 40 minutes earlier, it was likely that Captain Michael Moreton, of the Union Star, would have allowed only his wife and two teenage stepdaughters to have been rescued, because it was clear from evidence that he and the crew would have continued to try to restart the engines.

In those circumstances, the lifeboat would have "stayed until the end"

Mr Richard Stone, QC, Wreck Commissioner and chairman of the inquiry, is to make a report, which will be Roberts, the Coastguards' dis- available in about six weeks.

Bitter search for the truth

From Craig Seton, Penzance

From the first day to the last what I want to see and that is

That was partly because of the performance of Mr Noel Horner, a Truro solicitor more used to motoring cases and planning inquiries than to life and death investigations. He was engaged by the families of Mr Kevin Smith and Mr Gary Wallis, the youngest

crew members to die aboard the Solomon Browne. He seized the initiative and the headlines by throwing the spotlight on the two coastguard officers on duty on December. 19, 1981

They had to relive their thoughts and actions that night

and ask themselves whether their decisions were responsible for the tragedy. Mr Horner won few friends with his allegations. But if he lost some of his enthusiasm for that approach as the inquiry progresseed - he partially withdrew criticism of the coastguard officers - Mrs Pat Smith, one of the bereaved mothers was satisfied yesterday

and worthwhile. She said a lot of things had been aired at the inquiry which she feared would have been "swept under the carpet" if Mr Homer had not intervened.

that his approach had been right

Above all, she said, she hoped the report on the loss of the lifeboat and the Union Star would lead to the reopening of coordination centre. "That is would muster in the boathouse; noise".

the Penlee lifeboat inquiry was what Kevin was concerned homes near by ready to go to filled with drama, emotion and about before he died."

After 29 days it is now up to Mr Richard Stone, QC, the inquiry chairman, and his three expert assessors to examine the evidence and present a report on the disaster with recommendations designed to help to avert a similar tragedy. Mr Stone is unlikely to have been impressed by some of the

allegations, but by allowing Mr Horner considerable freedom to cross-examine in the minutest detail, he avoided the suggestion that the inquiry might merely be a rubber stamp to the Department of Trade's official view that no one person was to Mr Stone has already made

clear that he cannot recommend that the Gwennap Head coastguard station should be restored to a full-time rescue coordination centre, which many local people want. But he has been left in no doubt that there are grave doubts about rescue coordinations in the far west of Cornwall from a centre on a different headland 25 miles away at Falmouth.

Mr Stone indicated that he was concerned about communications between the Coastguard service and rescue units, and their awareness of the others capabilities.

"anticipated" the Penlee life-Gwennap Head as a local rescue boat, officers thought the crew

but the crew stated at their the boathouse.

There had also been com-

plaints of difficulties by the coastguard in getting in touch with launching authorities for the lifeboat coxswain was not given detailed up to date information on the developing Union Star crisis. Mr Stone also heard that the Coastguard did not have the authority to overrule a ship's

Supper it, as in the case of Captain Moreton, he did not put out a Mayday signed.

Mr "Robbie" Roberts, the district controller at Falmouth, made absolutely clear that he did not launch the lifeboat and the cardier because there were the controller at the cardier because the controller at the cardier because the cardier because the cardier than earlier because there was 'no Mayday, aithough he eventually did so without such a message

skipper if, as in the case of

For those who had to relive the tragedy one of the most moving moments came when the inquiry heard a tape recording of the conversations between the coastguard at Falmouth, the Union Star, the Solomon Browne and the rescue helicopter from RNAS Cul-

It had started at 18.04 with an almost routine message from the Union Star reporting engine failure and requesting a helicopter to standby. At 21.22 the Solomon Browne reported that The evidence shows that it had taken four people off the when Falmouth coastguard Union Star. The official note on the recording than states, "Voice cuts off, brief crashing

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Legal system weakened by judges' bias, barrister claims

A senior barrister today accuses many judges of helping "significantly" to weaken England's legal system by being heavily biased in favour of

In a book aimed at giving guidance to young barristers, Mr Keith Evans, head of a London set of chambers, identities "a general drift on the part of judges away from strict

impartiality".
"It is a frightening trend and it is operating in this country. like a silent rotting agent that is significantly weakening the foundations of our whole

The bias of the judiciary in favour of the prosecution, he writes, has results in a situation where an arrested person in England has less Potection from the law and from judges than in almost any other

English-speaking country.
Mr Evans, aged 46, says that some English judges are the finest in the world, but those are "not noticeably in the majority" and many do not match up to the "expected standards of

impartiality".
"What seems to be a vast majority of them favour the prosecution and lean against the defence".

He likens the difference between defending and prosecuting in a criminal case to riding a bicycle uphill with the wind against you or downbill with the wind behind".

"It is a strange and in some way embarrassing feeling, when turning to prosecute after a long time defending suddenly to find that the judge is with you, that there is this helping hand coming from the bench, that the umpire is playing on your side".

The comments of Mr Evans, who was called to the bar in 1962, were greeted with amazement, and assonishment by several leading lawyers last

Lord Hailsham of St Marylebone, who as Lord Chancellor is head of the judiciary, reserved comment until he had read the book, Advocacy at the Bar. A. Beginner's Guide, which is

Mr Michael Hill QC chairman of the Crimmal Bar Association, said: If these quotations reflect the tenor of the book, they are views I do

Sir Arthur Power, secretary of the Bar Council, the pro-fession's governing body, said: "To make a broad statement like this about the English judiciary would seem to be

Sir Melford Stevenson, the High Court judge who retired in 1979, described the criticism levelled at his former colleagues, as "bloody nonsense" and said he believed that Mr Evans had committed a pro-

Young people should be

which were based on research,

Sir Regern Ormrod, the

Sir Roger said stability in

marriage was closely connected

gested that continuing edu-

Craftsman

society was the key

contradicted the views pre

desperate effort to achie rather vulgar publicity. It is very odd indeed. This sounds

like a book that ought to have a

very dirty notice from someone

"What he says in the book simply is not true. Anybody who spends time in the criminal courts, as I did for 25 years, knows the way in which the defence is our wife the utmost clarity to mross

Mr Evans said yesterday. I suppose I have probably put my neck on the chapping block. You must remember that this book was written for the benefits of student barristers. It is not reforming book

Synonymous with everything fair, but every system needs maintenance and servicing. We have been taking things for granted for so long, there might be a bit of alticulation it."

In his book he is equally critical of the system of training barristers and says that some of the end products are like cases that should be won.

He says that the lack of training is "shameful" and questions what would happen if dentists, anaesthetists or pilots were allowed to start work with

'Teach young new values in marriage'

By Pat Healy, Social Services Correspo

Divorce causes more misery than unemployment, a one-day educated in the new values conference on the survival of attached to marriage, and marriage was told in London industry should recognize that

Dr Jack Dominian, director destroy their personal relation-of the Marriage Research ships.

Centre at the Central Middlesex Dr Dominian's observations, Hospital, London, said 500,000 men, women and children left the divorce courts every year. sented by Mr Ferdinand Mount They experienced an immeasurable private agony at a public group set up by the Prime cost of more than £1,000m. Whinister. He told the confer-

"Accumulatively this group ence that church and state of people have become the should interfere in marriage largest group of distressed only for the most pressing human beings, easily outstrip reasons and said he resented the ping in numbers those who are assumption that belief in the unemployed", Dr Dominian family could have any party

Nevertheless, only 14 per cent of the population con-sidered marriage to be an and Ms Jacqueline Burgoyne outdated institution, and cur- senior lecturer in sociology at rent trends suggested that only 8 Sheffield Polytechnic, agreed cent of men would not marry.

But marriage had undergone revolution which society should recognize. Most marriages were now based on equality between the partners, in which intimacy, affection and friendship were more important than

Casino cash

exceeds

£1,000m

Casino gambling in Britain topped the £1,000m mark for the first time last year, but fewer

people played bingo, and fewer clubs were operating it, accord-ing to the report of the Gaming

Board for Great Britain for 1982, published yesterday. The number of jackpot

machines and amusement-withprizes machines increased, but the number of registered lot-

teries fell. Casino chip money in

the 12 months from September

1. 1981, to August, 1982, increased from £930m to

£1,007m, with marginal increas-

es in all regions except the North-west and the East Mid-

lands. In London the figure rose

from £637m to £702m, the first significant increase since 1979. -

in 1982. Clubs open for bingo also fell, from 1,510 at the end

The board's biennial survey

of bingo showed that the

number of regular bingo players fell from about 5.7 million in

1980 to about 5.4 million in

1982. The average daily attend-

of 1981 to 1,451 a year later.

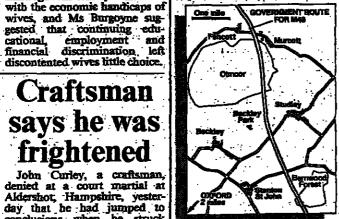
However, for the first time

£2 plots for sale to bar M-way

By Hugh Clayton ronment Correspondent

Opponents of the M40 extension through Oxfordshire hope to frustrate the motorway plan by selling tiny plots of land in its path. A remote field, between two small villages near 'a butterfly reserve, has been divided into handkerchief-size plots for sale around the world at £2 each.

If the Government wins the public inquiry into the M40 it will have to acquire by compuisory purchase land on the route which owners do not want to sell. Before such purchase it must make "all reasonable efforts" to find the owners. If it cannot find them it must post surchase notices on their land., This action alone would not stop us building the road if the Secretary of State decided to go ahead in the light of the inquiry inspector's report", the Department of Transport said yester-



Oxfordshire Friends of th Earth campaigner, organizing the sale, said: "People will sit on their land if necessary in front of the bulldozer".

He would not name the owner of the 21/2 acre field between Fencott and Murcott, saying that he did not want to be gazumped by a supporter of the motorway. The land is being sold for a total of £5,000 to buyers in several continents, who will be free to divide their tiny holdings into smaller plots for further sale.

Mr Weston said that 20 plots had been sold to buyers in Brazil and a further 30 to other contacts all over the world, and by the end of next week we will have sold the lot and recouped. our £5,000 outlay", he said.

One reason for the action was to try to protect the large butterfly reserve at Bernwood Forest, which houses such rarities as the purple emperor. The M40 route chosen by the Government passes through the

says he was frightened Aldershot, Hampshire, yester-

day that he had jumped to conclusions when he struck Captain John Apps, who he alleged was making homosexual

Questioned by Mr Charle Kelly, for the defence. Crafts-man Curiey, from Glasgow, agreed that he had been frightened after "belting" the

captain.
He said he had punched
Captain Apps in the face as
hard as he could because he did not like what was going on, but he did not know he had knocked him unconscious. Asked if he despised homo-sexuals, Craftsman Curley said

"I would not say that. I would say, though, that I do not like published by the board, the amount of money staked on bingo in licensed clubs fell, from £491m in 1981 to £469m them touching me. Captain Apps, aged 32, of the Intelligence Corps, denies committing a civil defence, contrary to the Army Act, of

indecent assault on a man last November and an alternative charge of disgraceful conduct of -He admits being drunk and another offence of failing to ensure that the efficiency of other members of a patrol then stationed in West Germany was

ance at bingo was down from 412,311 to 358,550 a 3 per cent not impaired by drink. The hearing continues today.

VC fetches £110,000



Dr John Tanner, the director of the Royal Air Force Museums, at Hendon, north London, with the only Victoria Cross awarded to a Battle of Britain pilot. It was bought for £110,000 for the RAF Battle of Britain Museum at a Glendining auction yesterday (Geraldine Norman writes).

The VC, awarded to Wing Commander James Nicolson, was sold with its associated group of medals. The highest price previously paid for a VC group was £32,000. The National Heritage Memorial Fund had pulled out all the stops to help the RAF Museum with its bid. The RAF had raised

from the Heritage Fund. Mr Brian Lang, the fund's secretary, said yesterday: "We took into account that ours is a memorial fund to those who died for this country and this made the medal very

£20,000 towards it, a public appeal about

£7,000 and the remaining £80,000 came

The final bid which secured the medal exactly coincided with the upper limit set by the Heritage Fund, Mr Lang said. One more bid would have won the battle for the underhidder who is understood to have been

Mr Geoffrey Hearn, an English private collector who specializes in RAF medals. The RAF Museum had offered the Nicolson family £50,000 for the medal group before the sale, in the hope that they would settle for a private deal. "We turned it down because we wanted the publicity generated by the auction to draw attention to the plight of Second World War widows", Mr James Nicolson, the son of Wing

crash in 1945, said. Mr Nicolson said that he and his mother feel passionately about the Government's inattention to this special category of war windows. Because their husbands did not survive to pay adequate national insurance stamps, they receive no state pension until the age of 80.

Mrs Muriel Nicolson, his mother, receives £42 70p a week, and an extra £8 30p because she is over 70.

They intend to give part of the proceeds of the sale to the Rainbow Trust for British war widows and associates. Further moneys will be spent on compaigning and lobbying

Man acquitted of gangland murder

An east London wholesaler was cleared at the Central Criminal Court yesterday of the gangland execution of an underworld "enforcer". To the cheers and applause of relatives and friends in the public gallery. Mr Thomas George Hole, aged 40, was acquitted on the second day of his trial.

On the direction of Mr Justice French the jury found Mr Hole not guilty of murder-ing Mr Nicholas Gerard, aged 32, who was shot dead soon 32, who was shot dead soon after leaving his home in Leather Gardens, Stratford, east ondon on June 25 last.

Mr William Howard, QC, for the prosecution, had been granted a short adjournment by the judge to consider the Crown's position and when the court resumed he said: "There is no evidence against the accused on which I could possibly invite the jury to

Mr Justice French told the jury that as the Crown was offering no evidence Mr Hole was entitled to be released from custody as soon as possible. He was arrested last November.

The judge added: "This, of course, was an appalling gangland murder, and any right-thinking citizen must be dismayed at the thought that no one has been brought to justice for that murder.

Mr Hole, of Canning Town, east London, left the court guarded by friends and with his

The prosecution's decision to frop the case came after their vital" witness, a middle-aged Commander Nicolson, who died in a plane man who had been given the false identity of "Mr Fisher" to protect him, described seeing a man wearing one rubber washing-up glove acting suspiciously ear a parked Ford Cortina car shortly before the murder.

"Mr Fisher" told the jury that he had seen the man for about 10 minutes and at an identity parade at West Ham police station on November 21 last year he had picked out Mr Hole as the gloved man. "But I was not 100 per cent sure it was the man I had seen that day in June in the car park, he added.

was "in doubt" when he picked out Mr Hole.

Later, when Mr Howard, in the absence of the jury, began to say that the prosecution might, in other circumstances, have been able to call other evidence, Mr Justice French interrupted and said he did not think the comments were "fair" in the

Mr Victor Durand, QC, for the defence remarked: "That socalled evidence would have been strenuously contested".

The court heard that Mr Gerard, was ambushed by at least two men wearing boiler suits and Balaclava helmets and armed with two shotguns and a

Mr Gerard had left home "to go for a drink" after celebrating his daughter's birthday party and as he got into his car he was

He managed to stagger 100 yards before being shot again and then clubbed to the pavement by his assailants, A shotgun was then levelled at him from point blank range and his "head was blown apart" The woman with whom Mr

Hole was living was a first cousin of Mr Gerard. Mr Hole was arrested in November and was alleged to have been connected with one of the vehicles used by the killers.

Central Criminal Court in November, 1980, with Mr Ronald Knight, a club owner and husband of Barbara Windsor, the actress. They were cleared of murdering Mr Alfredo "Italian Tony" Zomparelli. Mr Gerard had long links with the underworld and is

believed to have acted as protection racketeer and beavy". At the time of his 1980 trial he was serving a seven-year sentence for shooting and wounding a prizefighter in an east London club. He was parolled in January last year.

His late father, Alfred Gerard, was acquitted several years ago of the murder of Thomas "Ginger" Marks, the east London car dealer who was shot dead in 1965 in Bethnal Green but whose body has The witness agreed that he never been found.

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Halting pollution down on the farm From John Young, Agriculture Correspondent, Stoneleigh

A faint but familiar odom permeated the Royal Agricultural Society of England showground at Stoneteigh, Warwickshire as a regiment of machines slurped and chundered their way through 700

tons of farm slurry. If the odour was faint that was partly because the demon-strations were being held at a discreet distance from the discreet distance from the pavilions But it also reflected that modern technology is increasingly directed to the such as well as the substance

of animal waste.

The trieunial exhibition sponsored by the society and the Government's Agricultural Development and Advisory Service (Adas), the largest in Europe, is being held in the shadow of increasingly tight

controls on pollution. Between 1977 and 1981 the number of farmers convicted for pollating water courses rose by 250 per

A recent much quoted, if somewhat bizarre, claim is that the amount of slurry produced each year on British farms would cover all six lanes of the MI between London and Leeds to a depth of 42ft.

The problem of its disposal

The problem of its disposal has been compounded by the interestication of farming methods, with more animals being kept on fewer and larger holdings.

It is an offence to allow manure or chemical fertilizer to seep through the soil into a

Mr John North, head of Adas's agriculture service, said yesterday that one of the biggest advances was in the widespread use of separators to remove solids from the liquid effluent.

That not only greatly simplified the task of spreading manure on the fields and relieved farmworkers of an implement and thankless track, but also greatly increased the nitrogen intake of the soil.

Several research institut several research institutes are working on ways of producing mechanic fuel and protein feed from the anacrobic digestion of cow and pig shurry, although Mr North believes their application is likely to be limited.

Inland

MPs opposed to showing matches in public houses

Some continuation of the present arrangements for the televising of football matches would best serve both the game and the public. Mr Nell MacFarlane, Minister for Sport, said when MPs from both sides of the House of Commons expressed concern during question time about the possibility of people having to go to public houses to watch matches on video.

Mr MacFarlane said he would draw the comments of MPs to the attention of representatives of the BBC, the IBA and the Football Legue when he had further meetings with them later this week.

Mr Kenneth Weetch (Ipswich, Lab) had asked if the minister had had consultations with the Football League or the joint ITV/BBC committee about the future prospects of television football. Mr MacFariane: The televising of

nizing, however, the considerable public interest in recent develop-ments. I have been in touch with I hope a satisfactory agreement can be reached as the game and the public are best served by some

public are best served by some continuation of the present arrangements.

Mr Weetch: There is a great deal of scrious public concern about the possibility of football matches disappearing from television screens and into public houses on video. This would be a blow to family viewing and it is undesirable for football, as a spectator sport, to be linked with the sale of alcohol.

the disquiet of many. Mr Douglas Hoyle (Warrington, Lab): He should call a meeting, of the Football League and the receivision authorities and tell them on television and the gap between the two sides is not very large.

If he seizes the initiative we will keep it on the television screens.

Mr MacFarlane: One has to remember the locus that the linked with the sale of alcohol.

that I can do what he suggests on his last point because it is very much a matter for the Football League and the television authorities. Nego-tiations continue. But I sympathize

strongly with his assessment of the overall impact of football.

The alternative facilities being suggested are not conducive to all that we have been trying to ensure for the future of this great national Nir Robert Brown (Newcastle upon

Tyne, West, Lab); It would be ascandal if children, the elderly, the sick, the disabled and the needy were prevented from viewing d football, our natonal sport. televised football, our natonal sport. The league has rejected an increase of 16 per cent on the 1979 agreement and during this period there has been an increase in the inflation rate of 60 per cent. Shirt advertising would be the answer to the explicen

football is a matter for the football Mr MacFarlanc: Shirt advertising is a matter very much for the BBC, and the IBA. I feel sometimes that Labour MPs are closer to the source of influence than I am on some of these negotiations. They may feel they have greater influence on some of these matters. But he has voiced the disquiet of many.

nked with the sale of alcohol.

Would he continue to see that

Minister for Sport can have over



Weetch: A blow to family viewing

these affairs. But I have had detailed meetings as have my officials, more than one with representatives of the BBC, IBA and the Football League Meetings are to take place later. this week and I will draw the attention of these representatives to what has been said today.

Mr Denis Howell (Birmingham, Small Heath, Lab) another former Minister for Sport; we welcome Mr

Will be intervene even further necessary and support the Office of Fair Trading reported today to be intervening because the public interest would not be served if young people and youths, the housebound and the sick were prevented from watching football On the other hand, I hope Mr

MacFarland has represented to the television authorities that they should pay an adequate sum for the hours of television they get and, if nouns of television they get and, if necessary, relax their rules on shirt advertizing and bring them in line with other sport to provide the financial assistance it clearly needs. We will support any initiative by Mr MacFarlane to bring that about Mr MacFarlane: I will maintain the

the ensuing 48 hours.
On the Office of Fair Trading this is primarily the responsibility of the Secretary of State. for Trade (Lord Cockfield).

New authority to control advertising and programmes

CABLE TY

Mr. William Whiteley, the Home Secretary, in a statement in the Commons, outlined the Government's proposals for cable television. The proposals were published today in a White Paper. (Details on facing page.)

Mr Whiteless said that central to the nian for action for the dvelop of cable television was the creation of a new statutory cable authority. The authority would adopt an advertising code which in essential particulars would follow the existing adependent Broadcasting Auth-

The same rules regarding good taste and decency as applied to BBC and IBA programmes would apply to all cable channels and the so-called adult channels had no place in the sort of systems the Government wished to see develop. The Government is to allow pay-as-you-view but the new authority would have a duty to exclude from proposed ban on the acquisition by cable of exclusive rights to great sporting events such as the cup final.

use a certain proportion of British material and to work towards an increase in that proportion as more material became available.

Mr Roy Hattersley, chief Oppo-sition spokesman on home affairs (Birmingham, Sparkbrook, Lab): We on these benches regard cable television as potentially of great

He said the review, which the association and he had agreed was urgently needed, would be chaired

ov Sir Douglas Lovelock, A firm of

nanagement consultants would be

appointed to assist in its work. A

senior partner of the firm chosen would also be a member of the

review team. A third member would

be appointed and he hoped to

to review the functioning of the

National Association of Citizens
Advice Bureaux and to make
recommendations, with a view to
ensuring that the association gives

the best possible service and support

to local bureaux, and that the

monies available to the Association

are spent in the most effective way".

The terms of reference and the

membership I have announced (he said) have been agreed with the

national association. I have asked the chairman to report to me in the

next six months. The review team

will work closely with the national association, and the report will be

made available to them once I have

received it. I propose that the report

ment structure of the national association and will be asked to

complete their work within the next

normal practice, we shall be seeking

tenders at once for this job on the basis of a short list to be discussed

with Sir Douglas Lovelock and the national association.

Complete agreement has been reached with the national associ-

ation that the review should be carried forward on this basis. In the

that Government funding for NACAB for the whole of the current

financial year will be maintained on the normal basis.

The management consultants

announce a name shortly.

properly supervised and controlled. What we fear is the proposals in the White Paper and the whole philosophy of the Government will result in a system which more meets the needs of private profit than the

public interest. It remains our conviction that a satisfactory system to meet both present and future needs of the nation must be based on a national common carrier and that common carrier must be British Telecommunications.

If pay-per-view is to be intro-duced how, despite the bland assurances of his statement, are the interests of the viewers outside the pay-per-view area to be maintained? I welcome the control to be placed on advertising in the cable piacet on avertising in the case sector, but what does he mean by standards which broadly follow those required by the IBA programme companies? Can we be assured that does not mean standards will be any lower than present standards and present present standards and present standards will be maintained? Is there sufficient advertising to

go round or will the introduction of this new channel imperit independent producers simply because there tent produces samply because there is not enough for all the channels?

We welcome the limit to be placed on foreign material to be broadcast. Can he tell us what a proper proportion of home produced material means? The Oppostion regard a proper proportion as certainly no less than the proportion

resently required of the indepen-We very much welcome his we very much welcome his rejection of an adult channel. Finally, why all the rush? Why cannot we have the legislation which he promised the House on December Z. How does he reconcile

not exclusive.

Or pay-per-view, I believe the safeguards we have proposed are sporting bodies themselves, reasonable. Advertising standards will be the same; I can give that assurance.

Will be look again at the limitation of the maximum of 100 000 homes.

cable authority to decide exactly what proportion of foreign material there should be. But the cable authority has an extra duty imposed on it above that on IBA and that is there has to be a progressive reduction of foreign material.

As for any rush, I do not accept that. We have to keep up the momentum if this country is to keep its lead in technology.

Sir Paul Bryan (Howden, C): It is Sir Pani Bryan (Howden, C): it is critically importantly that the first dozen project schemes get off to a good financial start. Will be confirm that these first pilot schemes will have the availability of pay-perview, which is an early way of gening revenue? Mr Whitelaw: I accept the critical

importance of a good financial start to the pilot projects. They would have access to pay-per-view Mr Clement Frend (Isle of Ely, L): Liberal MPs agree with the direction in which the white paper is contructed and the way it has moved away from the original Hunt

parts of the programme in the White because at the moment it is too Paper with his assurance that vague to say great national sporting waterial progress had an extra come events like the cup final. The whole

material progress would not come events are the cup insal. The whole until the House had an opportunity nation would want to know which to vote on the Bill?

Mr Whitelaw: He suggested Mr Whitelaw: This in the long run British Telecommunications should have a monopoly. The Secretary of authorities. Having had disussions that it is not belong the secretary of this matter, it recognize that it is State for industry (Mr. Patrick on this matter, I recognize that it is sening to be extremely difficult and should have a substantial share but will require considerable discussion and controlled the state of the

ssurance. of the maximum of 100,000 homes in the long run it will be for the for these pilot areas?

Mr Whitelaw: On the limitation to 100,000 homes, we are anxious at this stage simply to have pilot projects and in noway go beyond that or the need to get on top of advanced technology and get to know some of the problems. We do not want to preempt a Bill which would eventually come to be passed through this House.

Sir Geoffrey Johnson Smith (East Grinstead, C): When does he expect grant the first extension of commit myself on that. It depends

on a large number of factors. Mr John Golding (Newcastle-under-Lyme, Lab): The POEU Mr John Guran. Lab: The POEU under-Lyme. Lab: The POEU believe that cable should not be developed separately. It would be best to have a single integrated the communications. The best data and people to do this are radio, data and telecommunications. The best people to do this are BT. They have the necessary skills, knowledge and physical assets.

in saying that BT should have a substantial share but we have

decided not an exclusive one. Mr Ian Wrighlesworth (Teesside. Thornaby, SDF): What are the implications of all this for the BBC? What are the Central Policy Review. Staff doing with regard to the BBC. having read about the dismemberment or even the abolition of the BBC in the newspapers in recent

Mr Whitelaw: Do not believe everything that you read. The White Paper makes clear the future position of the BBC.

Mr Jonathun Aitken (Thanct, East, by Labour MPs about the profits to made out of cable television, wil be made out of cause tree-blow, was be consider seriously the view that these cable-franchises, like some others I can think of, may well turn-out to be licences to lose money.

The figure of 100,000 viewers per station may turn out to be woefully inadequate. In view of the experience in America of cable television, the cable authority mus finances of cable operators are solid. Mr Whitelaw: There are a great many people who believe they see a future in cable and wish to go into it. They are risking their own money it...

After repeating the statement in the House of Lords. Lord Elton, Under Secretary of State. Home Office, said there would be a debate The date for a debate in the Mr Whitelaw: I have nothing to add Commons has not yet been fixed.

MCC tour of S Africa would threaten game

CRICKET

Nobody should be in any doubt about the serious threat to organized about the scrious unreat to organized cricket if there were to be a tour of South Africa by the MCC, Mr Neil MacFarlane, Minister for Sport, said. He also indicated that the Rugby Football Union were aware of the Government's opposition to a possible tour of South Africa in two

His remarks came when Mr view of the contribution that sport and understanding, would it not be traumatic both for world sport and Commonwealth sporting relationships if there were to be some shortto England playing South Africa at

If this were to happen all the other members of the International Cricket Conference would not follow our example, so we would be left playing South Africa and South

Africa alone. This would be very tedious indeed. Mr MacFarlane: He has put his finger on an important point which creates grave disquiet in the minds of those who put multiracial sport

first throughout the world.

No one here should be an any doubt about the serious threat to organized cricket if a tour-of South Africa by the MCC, technically a private club, were to go ahead. The ICC, on which the MCC and its governing body the Cricket Council siL voted 13 years ago to exclude South Africa from the cricket itinerary.

Mr John Carlisle (Luton. West, C):
The ICC went to South Africa in
1979 on a fact-finding mission and came back with the recommendation that an ICC team be sent committee, third day, Lords (3): because of what they had seen.

Commons (2.30): Finance Bill, dation that an ICC team be sent committee, third day, Lords (3): Housing and Building Control Bill,

the interests of British sportsmen. will be go the South Africa to see for himself that its sport is not organized on the basis of race, colour or ethnic origin? By seeing that for himmself, he will not have to

rely on pictures and newspaper amount of time that he has to visit South Africa. (Opposition laughter). Ministers from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office undertake

such visits, but it is not part of my I am certain that Mr Carlisle does not wish to mislead the House. There was no ICC ratified visit to South Africa in 1979. The ICC voted to exclude South Africa from its cricketing itinerary in 1969. The visit some 10 years later was not a full ICC visit. Some members went

Mr Denis Howell, former Minister for Sport, said: "We entirely support the view that it would be disastrous international cricket if this private tour went on and that

cricket would be restricted to England versus South Africa. the case of Rugby Union. If those authorities are considering a public tour of South Africa in two years time in exchange for an agreement by Dr Craven of South Africa not to pursue a private tour this year, that would be equally reprehensible.

Mr MacFarlane: The Rugby Football Union are aware of the Governments opposition to this possible venture. I hope their committee will take account of our advice when it makes up its mind.

Funds sought to spring clean Britain

ENVIRONMENT

the Environment, said he was reviewing the amount of centra funds with which the Governmen supported the Keep Britain Tidy group which had launched the Resentiful Britain 1983 campaign. It was high time, he said, that people were motivated to take greater pride

Education and persuasion of the public not to drop litter was the key to solving the litter problem. He particularly commended the Keep Britain Tidy system for adoption by

Mr Ogden said many streets and public places were tatty at best and oftern downright filthy. It was time for a "Spring Cleaning Britain" operation to encourage those who wanted to take care of their environment, to respect it and take pride in it, and to discourage those who dumped their garbage or litter

Seat belt wearing Mrs Lynda Chalker, Under Secretary of State for Transport, said in retary of State for Transport, said in a Commons written reply that the proportion of car drivers wearing seat belts had gone up from 50 per cent in January to 93 per cent in

Government funding for the National Association of Citizens Advice Bureaux for the whole of the current financial year would be maintained on the normal basis, Dr Gerard Vanghan, Minister for Consumer Affairs, announced in a

in their community. Commons by Mr Eric Ogden (Liverpool, West Derby, SDP) for an increase in the amount of money available to local authorities, especially those-in urban areas, for the reduction, collection, and disposal of litter from the streets. Mr Shaw said it was for individual local authorities to determine. within their overall budgets, the resourses they allocated to their street cleaning responsibilities.

Second £3m to be paid over **ADVICE BUREAUX**

Mr Peter Archer, chief Opposition spokesman of trade (Warley West, Lab) said the House would welcome the assurance to the National Association that at least they might proceed to budget on a proper basis and not on the hand-to-mouth basis

originally proposed.
No one (he went on) will dispute that a body in receipt of public money should submit to a review relating to how that money should be spent, and the National Association will welcome such a deasure that the inquiry into staffing and efficiency is not to deal with allegations of improper political activities, which emanated



Hicks: Uncertainty has been created

his department. However these allegations originated, he has, still not said clearly and unambiguously that they are without foundation.

should receive the best possible services and support, he should send a circular to local authorities. Dr Vanghan: As to various Allegations, it would have been quite improper when complaints were put to me, for me not to have passed on the general nature of what was being said. I have announced the terms of reference for the review and it is not for me to comment further on its scope which, within the terms of reference, is a matter

light of this, and my helpful discussions with the national associations officers, I can confirm for the independent review team to determine. I have made it clear I would have expected local authorities to continue to support the local bureaux and I have said I would look at the possibility of a circular.

one who was critical of hos initial decision. I am grateful he is to estore the second £3m. Uncertaint had been created as a consequence of the events of the last ten days or circular to local authorities in orde that they continue to support this most worthwhile voluntary organi-

Dr Vanghan: I will look carefully at the issuing of a circular. Mr John Home Robertson Berwick and East Lothian, Lab): Is this

inquisition he has just announced going to extend to the autonomous association of Scottish bureaux? that this is an inquisition. It is an agreed review. There have been

three letters from Scotland Mr William Rees-Davies (Thanet West, C): Will the review be able to consider if there is a party political bias and be able to make accordingly cause certainly in those bureaux have been conversant with over many years there never has been a party political bias.

Dr Vanghan: The terms of reference are designed to be as constructive and helpful to the movement as a whole as possible. It will be for the independent review to determine exactly what they look at within the

Mr David Ennals (Norwich North, Lab): This review is utterly unnecessary. His intervention has caused a great deal of concern, not so much by the public, who already have a great respect for the work of the bureaux, but by the many thousands of volunteers.

Dr Vaughan: I accept there has been some concern. It is generated by remarks of the kind he has made.

Mr Lewis Carter-Jones (Eccles, Lab): Will be make a public apology to all members of the bureaux, who have given their services willing, for the slur that has been cast on them.

time cast any aspersions or allegations against local bureaux. I would have thought (he said later) that I was the person who had been most witch-hunted.

Department of Trade spokes-

same but we are now waiting to

Dr Vangban: I have never at any

Brandt report warning cannot be ignored

The keynote of the second Brandt Commission report was its sense of immediacy and urgency but the Government's response was one of self-satisfaction and complacency. opened a debate on the report in the

House of Lords.

The report warned of the impending crisis in the world economy and put forward an emergency programme calling for interim action to ward off the economic and social collapse that threatened the world.

A resolute approach was needed. The last Labour Government ingreased aid in every year bar one. The Conservative Government had so far decreased aid every year bar

Lord Banks (L) said the report should be seen as a warning cry that could not be ignored and an emergency programme that ought to

too late. There would not be the political will to get things done. The Bishop of Hereford, the Rt Rev John Eastaugh, said the churches urged the setting up of a code of thics to establish control on the

Lard Walston (SDP) said the indebtedness of the Third World was now rising to astronomical heights. As a result of this, the next has shrunk from a peak of \$34 billion in 1978 to 8 billion at

The only answer to the growing problem of the widening gap between the wealth of the rich nations and the poverty of the poor nations was to alter the terms of trade between the rich and poor

Comments condemned The reported call for the killing of Lord Elton: I have considerable

When Lerd Menson (Ind) asked what action the Government intended taking Lord Elton, Under Secretary of State, Home Office. said: we are aware of reports that made on that occasion. It is, however, for the police and not the Government to consider whether any criminal offence may have been committed and, if so what action to

take. Lord Monson; While one appreciates that there is little that the Government can do directly, has the attention of the Director of Public Prosecutions been drawn to the rallying cry made by one delegate which according to at least nine

national newspapers, contained the phrase "Forward to the death of parase "Forward to the deam of British troops".

Surely the right of free speech, which we all value so highly cannot extend to blazant incitements to

Lord Underhill (Lab): These particular observations are abhorred community. I appreciate the remarks of the minister that the particular resolution, a pro-IRA resolution, was overwhelmingly rejected in a democratic way by the hundreds of delegates present with only a handful supporting.

If he is desirous of representing committee, second day. Ripper hunt chief bows out with onslaught on critics

Mr Ronald Gregory, Chief Constable of West Yorkshire, spoke yesterday of his "intense personal grief" for the 13 women victims of the Yorkshire Ripper. He also attacked those who criticized his force while using the "most exact science of hindsight".

In his final report before

retiring in June. Mr Gregory, aged 61, explained for the first time after the long inquiry why he did not quit and how the "lost pride" of the force, Britain's third largest, has been restored. Mr Gregory, presenting his farewell report to the police authority at Wakefield after 42

years' police service, took the

unusual step of reviewing his

work during his 14 years with

the old and new West Yorkshire. He said it was a matter of "deep regret" that the Ripper was not caught earlier. But the number of positive and conduring the hunt were "very

He praised his officers, who were left with broken homes and whose health suffered under the pressure, particularly those facing the worst of media

criticism.
It is understood that he may have been referring mainly to Mr George Oldfield, the assistant chief constable, who led most of the hunt. He is now off duty recovering from the effects of a heart attack and last night did not wish to comment.

Mr Gregory announced his retirement on the eve of a Press Council report criticizing him conference announcing the was serious.

arrest of a Yorkshire Ripper He believe suspect. Peter Sutcliffe, a lorry driver, of Bradford. Sutcliffe is serving a life sentence for the

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Mr Gregory: "Retreat is alien to me"

The chief constable said considerable speculation existed on whether he would resign at the time. Such action might be appropriate to political appointments, appeasing public opinion. It was alien to my character to retreat in the face of adversity and criticism, much of it ill informed.

There was no lack of critical analysis after Sutcliffe was caught, he said. "Some of those who had been most silent during the investigation now awoke with a new-found insight and expounded on the issues involved from the secure knowledge base of what actually had occurred."

element" in sentencing offenders after a 9 per cent increase "beaming with satisfaction" at a reflection of the national trend,

the young particularly in the not the war against crime."

Mr Gregory called for the

reintroduction of the "deterrent

inner city areas, resulting from a growing awareness of social inequalities, poor housing and limited opportunities, often results in the commission of anti-social acts. "It is significant that of the

crimes detected during 1982, 54 per cent were committed by people under 21 years of age". It might therefore be appropriate for the theorists to return to some original thoughts on the treatment of offenders and to

examine basic philosophies, he

Restoration of the traditional

values of individual responsibility and respect for the rights of others might go some way to improving the crime trends. it would also be appropriate to reintroduce the "deterrent element" in sentencing, which, he said, in recent years had been neglected in favour of the

reformative "curative, element". More severe prison sentence es are the answer to those who call for the death penalty. Mr Patrick Kennedy, chairman of the Scottish Police Federation, said yesterday. He called for life

sentences to mean imprisonment for life. He told the federation's annual conference: "No mercy should be shown to those who show no mercy".

Killing police officers and

or motivated by lust, greed, or politics should all mean a lifetime in prison, he said. Crime was a growth industry in crime in West Yorkshire. He and there was no evidence that and other senior officers for said the increase, which was a the number of convictions deterred criminals . "For too long life has been too easy for He believed the economic the criminal. The blood of our conditions resulting in high young police officers continues unemployment were a contributo flow on the streets of our the Americans, the British
tory factor. "The frustration of cities, battles are being won, but Government refused an export



Sixth-formers of Dyffryn Conwy School in Llanswst, Gwynedd, winners of the Stockpiler competition this year, in London yesterday to receive their trophy. The competition is an investment game organized by the British Junior Chamber and sponsored by Williams and Glyn's Bank (Photograph: Suresh Karadia).

Export ban on Iran ship may be lifted

From Ronald Faux, Newcastle upon Tyne

The £40m supply ship Kharg though the Iranians had paid the impassed will end. A has spent the third anniversary the full price. of her completion in mothballs on the Tyne.

murders committed with a gun On the day that the 20,000-ton vessel was handed over at the Swan Hunter Walker yard to her owners, the Iranian Government, she hit a diplomatic reef when President Carter's attempt to save the United States hostages in Iran failed tragically.

In a gesture of solidarity with

licence for the vessel even

When the hostages issue was man has said that the ship's

resolved Ayatollah Khomeini's armaments had been removed regime pressed for delivery of and the Kharg can no longer be the Kharg, insisting that she was described as lethal defence needed in the war against Iraq. equipment, which would have The Kharg again ran into made it subject to an export sensitive waters. The Government had no wish to be seen armed with a 60mm automatic supplying military hardware to gun.

Supplying military hardware to gun.

The Department of Trade vessel remained tied up and the said: "The position is much the 120 Iranian officers and men who had been waiting in

hear from the Iranian auth-Newcastle for six months went orities about the vessel, for them to go through the formal There is now a faint hope that procedures for collecting it.

32 der cent." None the less the Conservative, for example in Birming-ham, are making much of

manifestos is, not surprisingly,

unemployment. controlled council has recently bought the former head offices much impact on the overall!

said: "We have had the last considered unlikely, would make little difference to the

be considered with urgency. He feared the reaction of the Government and of the countries of the north would be a case of too little.

HOUSE OF LORDS

London commedity markets. This was one of the keys of the Brandt

amount of aid to the Third Wo

British tooops in Northern Ireland sympathy with him. The question of made at the recent Young Socialists a reference to the DPP would be for conference at Birmingham was condemned from all sides in the House of Lords.

the police who would have to be aware of the circumstances to a greater degree than I am.

The right of free speech is vary precious, I understand that this utterance was made in a debate on something called "Capitalist imperi alism and terrorist violence" and. gather, received little, if any, supports That does perhaps suggest we should not dignify this remark with a great deal of approbrium when it was an extraordinarily foolish; unpleasant, distasteful and disloyal thing to do, but no more

and repudiated by the Labour Party as much as any other section of our

The rates factor

Tories lose main target

By David Walker Local Government

Correspondent To Mr Tom King, the Secretary of State for the Environment, goes the unwel-come credit of robbing local Conservatives of what ought to have been their main election issue - high rates in Labour-

controlled councils. The rate support grant settlement announced last December has had the effect in most parts of England and Wales, outside London, of producing rate increases considerably less than in recent

In the West Midlands and the other conurbations and in the big city districts controlled by Labour, such as Nottingham, Labour councils have found it possible to hold the rates steady or in some cases even cut them.
In Bristol Mr Claude Draper, the leader of the Labour-con-trolled council, said: The Tories have tried to make rates factor in these elections. But the city rate has gone up by only

having cut the rates only to find that a Labour-controlled authority, the West Midlands county council, raised its share. Rates aside, the issue appearing most often in Labour

of Raleigh Industries and plans to convert some of it into meeting rooms and workshops in England and Wales are for one of the city's West Indian organizations.

On convert some or in the councils in England and Wales are spending, during 1983-84, about £750m in excess of government organizations.
The Conservatives oppose

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also being aided by Govern-ment inner cities' money". In most areas, the elections see sitting councillors defending. their records. In the city councils of the North, councillors are defend-" ing a tried and trusted receipe of. municipal socialism that until this year generally required above average spending and

rates.

tive ministers at the Depart-

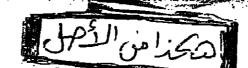
ment of the Environment but is

In Chelmsford, Essex, the controlling Conservatives are appealing for extension of the popular trust that has kept them; in office for more than a generation. Similarly in a Labour stronghold such as Hull. Mr Patrick Doyle, the Labour-leader, said: "We are asking for." an endorsement of Labour rule in a major city, an example of socialism working successfully at the local level". Unlike in last! nemployment. year's elections, government officials consider that none of the likely results will make patterns of council spending.

targets: since councils cannot the move. But Mr Leonard make supplementary rates, even a Labour sweep, which is

On current estimates councils

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existing services.

The much discussed "porn

channel" will not be allowed.

The White Paper says: "The Government does not believe

that so-called "adult channels" should be available on cable

The Government has also considered British film makers. The White Paper says: "The

Government accepts that operators may need to use a

significant amount of overseas material, particularly from the United States, in the early

years; but the Cable Authority

will have a duty to work towards

White Paper details strict role of new broadcasting authority

Sporting events in, 'adult' films out as cable TV gets go-ahead

published its policy for the expansion of cable television in Britain, which will be strictly controlled by a new authority whose members will be selected by the Home Office in consultation with the Department of

The Government has been considering its policy since Lord Hunt of Tanworth completed his rejort last October, recommending that cable television be given approval to expand. The Home Office has been reluctant to sanction any largescale expansion until the legislation creating the cable anthority is in place, but has agreed to the award of 12 pilot

committed to encouraging the use of the cable network ler es other than entertainment. To that end it is insisting that all cable systems he laid in

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Basic Cable

By Bill Johnstone, Electronics Corresp

It has tried to keep sight of its original policy, which centred on a cable system being fall around the UK, used by subscribers for shipping, banking and information services.

would damage the broaden networks of the BBC an IBA.

The cable authority is mainstay of the government of the government

"inter-active" services will be in a minority. The general entertainment channels will fund the cable networks. The policy outlined in the White Paper published vester-day has taken more than a year to formulate. The Information Technology Advisory Panel (ITAP) prepared a report for the Cabinet Office, which was published last March and

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casting is assured by requiring that all the cable systems carry the public services and those of the satellite on which the BBC ation so that they can easily be expansion of cable television has 2 channels to be inservice would damage the broadcasting networks of the BBC and the by 1985-6. "Pay per view" services will not be allowed if they deprive the public networks of events usually covered by

The cable authority is the policy. It will award franchise to companies to serve about 100,000 homes. Very few will have more than half a million.
All these franchises will be given for an initial period of 12

The White Paper says: "The Cable Authority's ultimate sanction will be the non-renewal that it will have the power to published last March and direct that certain programmes recommended that early approval be given to cable on cable and after issuing a operators to expand their warning, to subject an operator networks.

Lord Hunt was commissioned of supervision than normal.

a progressive increase in the proportion of British program-Initially the Government will award about 12 licences, all to companies under British or

European control. These franchises will be awarded jointly by the Department of Industry and the Home Office before the establishment

of the cable authority. In formulating its policy the Government has been in a dilemma because its intention to expand cable television might conflict with its telecommuni

cations policy.
To ensure that there appears to be consistency it has given British Telecom and its pri-vately owned rival, Mercury, the exclusive right to carry programming between local cable

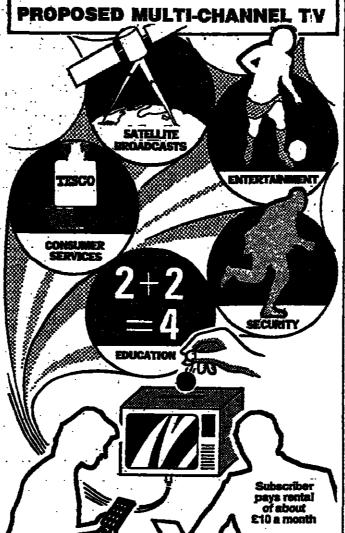
The Government has also had to contend with the division between the Home Office and the Department of Industry. The former was not impressed by arguments that self-regulation would suffice and had little intention of agreeing unless metters of taste and decency were monitored and

The Department of Industry wanted to push shead with minimum regulation to stimu-late the British electronics and The Home Office, in the end,

has had a significant role in shaping the policy outlined in the White Paper and will have substantial influence in the

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How the system will work

Details of other proposals in the White Paper are: Cable technology

Cable providers may use star switched or tree-and-branch tech-The cable authority

A new statutory cable authority ill be established to award cable franchises and to exercise a measure of oversight over the services The authority will initially have a

chairman and six other member though the legislation will enab this figure to be varied in the light of experience within certain limits. Members will be appointed by the Home Secretary in close consultation with the Secretary of State for Industry. Appointments will be for renewable periods of five years and The authority will be financed by fees paid by franchise holders.

Franchising

Companies wishing to obtain cences as cable providers or franchises as cable operators must to under UK/EC control. Central Zeading article; page 13 and political groups will be excluded

There will be no specific statutor

restriction on the participation o existing telecommunications broadcasting or newspaper interests.

In all cases there must be the opportunity for competing bids to

Broadcasting policy A wider range of advertising will be possible on cable than on independent broadcasting. With appropriate safeguards some spon-sorship will also be permitted.

Programme services Cable operators will be require

Cable operators will be required to relay the four existing BBC and IBA television channels appropriate for their area. They will also be required to relay BBC and IBA radio services. All systems will have to include provision for the five DBS channels allocated to this DBS channels allocated to this country by international agreement. Cable operators will be allowed to relay foreign broadcasting services. There are a number of other detailed matters, including the privacy implications of cable, to which the Government intends to eight further thousands intends to

give further thought in preparing the

Fire safety review on double glazing

will report to the Government -2 young woman trapped in a within the next few days on the smoke-filled room batters helpdanger of fixed double glazing: lessly with a chair against a. The urgent review comes after closed, double glazed window. recent fires in which victims died after being trapped in the problems centre on sealed rooms by fixed double glazing units made with toughened

which cannot be opened.

The Home Office acted after tomers for security reasons.

a fire in Hayes, Middlesex, Mr Michael Doherty, senior killed five young sisters.

young mother died in a fire in a flat fitted with double glazing, although it was of a type which could be opened.

A Home Office spokesman said yesterday: "The Fire Service Inspectorate were asked to do a review after the Hayes fire; now they are looking into ago, "but nobody took any the Midlands fire too. It will be notice then", it said, a very quick review, but they have to look at that fire too, especially in the present climate of concern."

The team from the inspectorate is expected to report to both leisure safety committee is the Home Office and the meeting in a few weeks with a Department of the Environment. The result could be a and a change in building change in building regulations regulations to outlaw fixed or a big publicity campaign outlining the dangers.
The Greater London Council

A team of fire safety experts campaign. In the advertisement

Experts believe that most of glass, often specified by cas-

fire prevention officer for On Tuesday two teenage girls London, said that sealed windied after being trapped in an dows were the cheapest form of upstairs bedroom in Nuneaton, double glazing and were often. Warwickshire, and in London a chosen by do-it-yourself enyoung mother died in a fire in a thusiasts. "We have difficulty in rescuing people when these are fitted. It is not easy to break the lass when you are hanging off a

Prevention of Accidents first raised the problem four years

"We always maintain that you should have and opening window in every room so that you can get out in case of fire."

The society's home and view to pressing for legislation double glazing.

Double glazing is a £400m a year industry in Britain and is fitted in one in seven homes.

One in eight dependent on benefit

The number of people depending for their incomes on supplemetary benefit reached about seven million, or one in eight of the population. That means nearly three million people have been added to the

total since the present Govern-

ment took office.

The new figure, disclosed esterday in a Commons written reply, underlines the assertion in a report published today by the Child Poverty Action Group that Government economic and social policies have increased the numbers in poverty, worsened the tax burden on the poor, and affected them most through cuts

The report says the social costs of the Government's economic policies have been borne most directly by unem-ployed people. But the previous abour Government began many of the present trends. Thatcherism and the Poor. (CPAG, 1 Macklin Street, London, WC2B

5NH_£2_25).

BBC was 'unfair' to mill owner

By Kenneth Gosling A former cotton mill owner was unfairly depicted as "uncaring in a BBC television programme about the disease byssinosis, suffered by workers in the spinning industry, the Broadcasting Cor Commission has ruled.

Colonel H C Owtram, aged 82. who lives near Lancaster. complained that he was misled about the true nature of the programme, which he understood would be about the history of the cotton industry.

His interview, he said, had been heavily edited, none of the historical material was used and he was given no indication that the programme would be about byssinosis or that the title would be Dust to Dust.

In reply the BBC said they were sure the colonel had been told his interview would be edited: the programme, they said, had exposed the fact that lack of investment had been a main factor contributing to the



(Some inner boroughs)

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TO ALL HOUSE OF FRASER SHAREHOLDERS

From Lord Duncan-Sandys c. and R. W. Rowland, Directors of House of Fraser, expressing a contrary view to the Board.

SEPARATING HARRODS ISTHE WAY TO GET HOUSE OF FRASER TOGETHER

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SEPARATE HARRODS-AND LET'S GET THE HOUSE OF FRASER TOGETHER

Lord Duncan-Sandys CH and R. W. Rowland, Directors of House of Fraser, strongly support the demerger of Harrods.

Mr Joshua Nkomo's former rallying cry of the Patriotic Nkomo and Mr Tshaka Moyo – guerrilla army were acquitted of Front and Zipra, the party's were initially detained at about all charges in the Zimbabwe treason trial in the High Court yesterday. They were immediately served with detention orders in the cells below, while awaiting warrant of liberation. A seventh was convicted of illegal arms concealment.

Mr Dumiso Dabengwa, the former head of intelligence for fully. Zipra, was found not guilty of treason and involvement in the six, served under Section 49 storing of arms on farms owned by Mr Nkomo's Patriotic Front Party, Mr Lookout Masuku, be held for up to 30 days. No formerly a lieutenant-general and deputy commander of the Zimbabwe Army, and four other senior Zipra commanders binding and the regulations were found not guilty on the contain provision for indefinite weapons charge, having already been acquitted of treason.

Mr Dabengwa and Mr Masu-

The underlying political ku have been in custody for aspect of the trial was given more than 13 months, having emphasis as Misheck Velapi, the only one of the accused to covery of huge quantities of be convicted, was led down to arms on farms owned by the start a three-year sentence for party and amid accusations of a assisting in the concealment of plot to overthrow Mr Robert weapons. He turned to the packed courtroom and shouted:

The other defendants - Mr

Six senior members of forces of negation". Zee is the Masala Sibanda, Mr Nicholas

former military wing.

Speciators responded in a chorus with cries of Zee and women danced as they left the courtroom. A crowd of about 50 had gathered on one of Harare's main highways, Samora Machel Avenue, to sing nationalist songs before dispersing peace-

reason need initially be given. They may appeal to a review tribunal, but its findings are not

detention.
Mr Dabengwa and Mr Masucustody for been detained after the dis-

the same time. The trial started on February 7. Mr Justice Squires sitting with two assessors heard evidence from 55 witnesses over 28 days. In his three-hour judgment he indicated that in the mass of conflicting evidence the court had to a large extent been guided by the reliability of

The judge said in summary that he believed that the arms concealing had been carried out by middle to low-ranking Zipra officers in the uncertain period after independence when sus-picion of Zanla, the military wing of the ruling Zanu (PF)

party, was high.
Hostility between the two
forces had led to two bouts of faction fighting and the men may have wanted the weapons either for protection or revenge This suspicion had extended in the ranks to mistrust of Zipra leaders, who were regarded as having "sold out" to the authorities,

This attitude, Mr Squires

the behaviour of Mr Dabengwa. Mr Masuku and Mr Nkomo.

"On all such occasions (of rising tension) it was the intervention of the leaders which prevented further clashes", the judge said. Their behaviour suggested quite the opposite of scheming against

the Government.

The judge said that the main prosecution witnesses – who admitted being involved in the arms concealing and thus had to be treated as accomplices whose testimony was suspect - had given evasive and conflicting

LONDON: Nkomo, who remains a self-imposed exile in Britain, last night described the issue of new detention orders against his senior colleagues as a tragedy for his country, Henry Stanhope

Speaking from his London flat, he said of the court verdict. "It supports what I have been saying all the time - that to say we were trying to overthrow the Mugabe Government was a lie and that everyone knew it was a packed courtroom and shouted: The other defendants - Mr This attitude, Mr Squires lie. It was a very dangerous "Zee. Stand firm against the Velapi, Mr Isaac Nyathi, Mr said, should be contrasted with political gimmick."

German bishops tolerate the bomb

In a long awaited declaration on peace and nuclear weapons, West Germany's Roman Catholic bishops yesterday declared that nuclear deterrence was no long-term guarantee for peace, but had to be tolerated at present as a means of prevent-

In a 70-page booklet which they have spent five years preparing, the bishops called on the State and on society to look for an alternative to the threats based on weapons of mass destruction. They said that in a modern atomic age there was no longer any such thing as a "just war", nor was war a permissable means to carry out policy.

The bishops said, however, that a state had the right to defend itself, and peace depended on resistance to two main dangers: the threats posed by totalitarian systems and the threat of a high level of armaments.

The report, presented yester-day by Cardinal Joseph Hoffn-er, chairman of the Bishop's Conference, is likely to prove controversial, although it studiously attempted not to take sides in the political debate on the stationing of new Nato missiles in Germany. It has already been criticized by leftwing Catholics for not going far enough in condemning nuclear weapons and not specifically outlawing the concept of the first use of nuclear weapons.

In an imperfect world nuclear deterrence was a legitimate tempory means of preserving peace, the bishops said, but deterrence had to be a step on the way towards disarmament.

Three important criteria governed the ethical permissi-bility of deterrence: existing or planned military arms should make war neither more wageable nor more likely; only those arms should be deployed which are orientated to the aim of preventing war, and, above all, weapons should not aim for military superiority but aim for a stability in which no side could make military or political use of its weapons systems.

The Bishops said that, in drawing up these criteria, they agreed with the American Catholic bishops, who intend to publish their peace declaration next month. But in the draft text the Americans condemn the use of all atomic weapons, whereas the German bishops do not specify which weapons would or would not be permissible in a conflict, and emphasize instead man's duty to prevent any kind of war breaking out. The latter add that even

deterrence is no absolute guarantee against war, The use of atomic weapons or

other means of mass destruction for the obliteration of population centres and other justified. A war of annihilation is never permissible," they said. The bishops' statement has been welcomed with clear relief by Chancellor Kohl's Govern-

ment as much for what it does not say as for its calls for peace. There was clear nervousness in Christian Democratic circles that the bishops would lend greater open support to the peace movement and would adopt a radical stand on the Nato weapon. The bishops are understood to have listened carefully to the advice of Herr Alois Mertes, the Deputy Foreign Minister and a leading lay Catholic, on this issue.

Nicaragua accuses **US** of sending arms to rebel front

Managna (NYT) - Managna
has accused the Reagan Administration of sending arms to a
new robel front on Nicaragna's southern border with Costa

Rica.
"We have absolute certainty that the Central Intelligence Agency has sent bazookas, Chinese AK rifles and 60mm and 81mm mortars to Costa Rica, Señor Daniel Ortega, a member of the Nicaraguan

junta, said.
In an interview on Monday night, Señor Oriega offered no evidence but said that the arms shipments, starting late last year, were destined for Eden Pastora Gómez, the Nicaraguan leader who turned against the ruling Sandinistas, and other anti-Sandinistas. He described the weapons as similar to those that he said the CIA had sent to the rebel groups operating from

The shipments showed that the United States was interested in opening a new front in the south. He said they had taken place behind the back of the

Costa Rican authorities. Señor Ortega rejected accu-sations that Nicaragua intended to install Soviet missiles, a notion that he said had arisen only in the mind of the US Administration. "Our country will never be turned into the military base of anyone." He charged President Reagan

with lying about Nicaragua's missile plans because of the President's despair to justify his unjustifiable warlike policy before Congress and international opinion. Senor Ortega said that Nicaragua had asked for international congression to for international cooperation to defend itself against outside aggression and would continue

Countiess American aircraft had transported military equip-ment from US bases in Panama shipping arms to Salvadorean for training.



Señor Ortega: Challenges US to prove its charges.

guernilas and challenged Washington to prove accu-sations that Managua was arming the rebels. ● WASHINGTON: Nicara-

gua has converted an irregular guerrilla-force into a sizeable army with the help of the Cubans, East Germans, Bulgarians, Russians and French, according to US defence officials, NYT reports.

According to the officials, Nicaragua's regular Army consists of 22,000 troops, augmented by 26 000 propers, augmented by 26 000 propers, augmented by 26 000 propers.

mented by 25,000 reservists and some 30,000 militiamen. The reservists receive three months of active-duty training and the militia is given rudimentary military instruction. Not all of the militiamen have rifles.

In contrast, the Salvadorean armed forces consist of about 32,000 men, including some 10,000 in what are called the security forces. These forces, whose officers are graduates of El Salvador's military academy, regularly perform military func-

Cuban military advisers played a key role in organizing the Nicaraguan Army, according to US officials, while the East Germans did the same for to Honduras in recent weeks. the country's internal security Señor Ortega also repeated apparatus. The Nicaraguans Nicaragua's denials that it is had sent 70 pilots to Bulgaria

Vote to halve Salvador aid adds to confusion

From Nicholas Ashford Washington

Rarely can an American president have received so many different signals from Congress on a big major foreign policy issue as President Reagan has been getting over Central

On the eve of his address to a joint session of Congress in support of his administration's policy on the region, a divided House appropriations subcommittee decided to grant him only half of the \$60m (£37m) in new military aid to El Salvador

that he had been requesting.

Today, with the President's speech still fresh in their minds. members of the House permanent siect committee on intelliace are to consider that would cut off funds for covert Central Intelligence Agency operations against the left-wing Sandinista Government of Nicaragua. The legislation proposes instead that an "overt" fund of \$50m be set up to combat gun-running from

Nicaragua Many Congressmen have claimed that the clandestine assistance which the CIA is providing to the anti-Sandinista insurgents is a violation of United States law. However, a group of Congressmen who have just returned fro a CIAguided tour of the Honduras-Andropov interview, page 7 this is not the case.

These differing signals are an indication of the currents within both parties about what the Administration should or should not do in Central America. Many Congressmen are concerned that the United States is allowing itself to get sucked into a new Vietnamstyle quagmire in the region others fear that if the United States does not take a stand there will soon be a proliferation of Cuban-style mini-states The seven-five vote in the

House appropriations subcommittee was clearly intended to be a message to the President that Congress is reluctantly prepared to go along with the ninistration's p as it is assured that Mr Reagan is determined to seek a political and not just a military solution in El Salvador, The sub-committee only

agreed to approve \$30m in additional military sid to El Salvador after being assured that the President would appoint a special envoy to "assist the Salvadoreans in their efforts to find a basis for dialogue with their opponents on the terms. and conditions for free, fair and safe elections".

The vote allows the Administration to shift \$30m to El Salvador from military aid appropriated for other coun-

From Ian Murray

Angry French farmers have

The price package should have been agreed by the beginning of the month and farmers claim they have already lost millions of pounds in income because of the snail's

argument over the price package has this year been compli-cated by the fact that the EEC is running out of money and cannot afford to pay the farmers more than an extra 4.2 per cent.
This had put a ceiling on the cost of the package. The argument has therefor had to centre on technical detail, with each country trying to win marginal advantages

Tass story disgusting, Rifkind says

Moscow (Reuter) - Mr Makcolm Rifkind, Minister of State at the Foreign Office, angrily accused the Soviet news agency Tass last night of producing a "disgusting" report on Northern Ireland as he ended three days of talks in

Moscow. In a commentary. described Northern Ireland as a "white colony" and said Britain had unleashed terror and ruthless repression on population there.

This is one of the most disgusting misrepresentations of the situation in Northern Ireland I have ever seen," Mr Rifkind said. The timing of the article reflected Kremlin anger at Mr Rifkind's insistence on raising the question of human

rights during his talks.

Mr Rifkind also told the
Russians that Britain rejected the inclusion of its nuclear deterrent in the current US-Soviet missile negotiations. Mr Andropov interview, page 7

Deported Nazi escapes trial

Ludwigsburg (Reuter) - Haus Lipschits, an ex-Nazi deported on April 14 from the United States to West Germany, will not be prosecuted for war crimes because nothing serious is known against him, the main Nazi war crimes office said

Herr Lipschits, aged 63, the first suspected war criminal the United States has deported on its own initiative, served in the SS-Totenkopf (Death's Head) division, and was personally involved in persecuting the inmates at Auschwitz concentration camp, the US Justice Department said.

Onslow mends Chile links

Santiago (Reuter) - Mr Cranley Onslow, Minister of State at the Foreign Office. arrived in Chile on Tuesday night on the second stage of his fence-mending tour of four Latin American countries after

the Falklands War.

He was expected to meet
President Pinochet. The purpose of his visit, he said on arrival, was to maintain friendly

Walesa signs

Warsaw (AFP)-Mr Lech Walesa, leader of the banned trade union Solidarity, signed a new contract at the Lenin shipyards in Gdansk and returned to work as an electrician. The contract, retroactive to August 15, 1980. replaced his original contract of 1967 which he claimed earlier was still valid.

Dingo decision

Melbourne - The federal court will give its decision. tomorrow on the appeal by Mrs Lindy Chamberlain, against her conviction of murdering her daughter Azaria who she says was taken away by a dingo. Her husband Michael also appealed against his conviction as an

Uphill struggle

Katmandu (Reuter) - Stomach trouble has delayed Richard and Adrian Crane, brothers aged 29 and 27, from Britain. who are running the length of the Himalayas from Darjeeling to Rawalpindi for charity... Blistered feet forced them to take a two-day rest in Katmandy on April 8.

First up

Katmandu (Reuter) - A bus driver and a technician from Austria, Arthur Haid and Stephen Krismer, scaled: Stephen Krismer, sculed: 22,494ft Mount Ama Dablan near Everest, the first reported success of the spring season in the Nepalese Himalayas.

Late fame

New York (Reufer) - A letter from President William Henry Harrison, who died in 1841. after only a month in office and whose name has been forgotten by most Americans, fetched \$132,000 (£88,000) at an auction, a record for a letter written by a US President.

Pisa prop

Rome (AP)-The Italian -Government assigned six university professors the task of coming up with a plan to prevent the leaning tower of Pisa from eventually falling over. It set aside 10,000m lire (£5m) for the job.

Correction The Pluton mussile, referred to in a report from Paris on April 22, has a

Soviet ship expelled diplomatic clearance. Mr Bjorn Bigset, of the Oslo police, said that the captain of

from Oslo Oslo (AP) - A Soviet arch vessel was expelled from Norwegian territorial waters on Tuesday night after entering Oslo harbour without

phone, said that the captain of the 70st Ayu-Dag accepted to pay a fine of 8,000 kroner (£571) before the police and a naval vessel escorted the Soviet ship out of Norwegian territorial waters.

The narrow Oslo fjord is a restricted area for all foreign vessels. To enter it they need special permission from the foreign ministry. The Ayu-Dag had twice before, in 1978 and 1981, made authorized port calls in Oslo. This time she arrived with a crew of 49 and a Norwegian pilot on board.

The Oslo newspaper Aftenposten reported yesterday that the Soviet captain had explained to the police that the Avu-Dag was engaged in research projects in cooperation with the Oslo University and Det Norske Veritas, the Norwegian ships classification

OPENHAGEN: Mr Hans Engell, the Danish Minister of Defence, has ordered military experts here to reasseess Danish coastal security needs in the light of Tuesday's Swedish government report on alleged inroads by Soviet submarines into its territorial waters last

Danish coastal waters have not been entered by foreign submarines so far being too shallow, but the Swedish disclosures about minisubmarines and underwater caterpillar-tracked reconnaissance vehicles have caused a stir here. The Government now fears that Denmark may be exposed to Soviet intrusions and is considering improving its

coastal surveillance system. In protest against what it alled the "unacceptable" Soviet submarine activities in Swedish waters, the ruling Danish Democratic Party has indefinitely postponed a Moscow visit by a four-man party delegation planned for next month. The delegation, which was to be headed by Mr Olesen, the former Foreign Minister, was to have discussed nuclear missile disarmanent and East-West peace initiatives with Soviet leaders at the invitation of the

Soviet Union. MOSCOW: The Soviet Union denied Swedish claims that Soviet submarines had committed "gross violations" of Swedish territorial waters last

October, AFP reports. In the first Soviet reaction to the Swedish protest over the submarines, made on Tuesday, Tass claimed that the accusations were "totally unsubstan-



Princess Anne, the president 23, from co Galway. of the Save the Children Fund. Mr Hugh Mackay, the fund's called yesterday for the early overseas director, is scheduled release of a group of the fund's to arrive in Khartum to meet workers kidnapped by antiwith TPLF representatives. government guerrillas in Ethio-

A spokesman at the Ethioa. pian Embassy in London
"Princess Anne is extremely expressed his Government's concerned to hear that a total of "strong condemnation" of the seven people working for the kidnapping It was, he said, "an Save the Children Fund in inhuman act perpetrated by a Ethiopia have been forcibly removed from their posts," said

The TPLF has been operating

a statement issued by the against the Ethiopian Govern-British Embassy in Tokyo, ment since the overthrow of where the Princess is on a visit. Emperor Haile Selassie in 1974. Four Britons working for the Recently it launched several fund, two Irish nurses, two attacks on Ethiopian military Italian nuns, an Indian doctor units, apparently retaliating for and an American were rounded a new offensive against its up last Thursday by guerrillas of guerrillas. It claims to have the Tigrai People's Liberation beaten back a series of Ethioguerrillas. It claims to have Front (TPLF) which has re- pian attacks.



Rejected Burt flies to Nicosia

Nicosia (Reuter) - Mr Richard Burt, the US Assitant Secretary of State whose visit to Athens fell through this week, is

to have talks in Nicosia with President Spyros Kyprianou of Turkey. Mr Burt then cancelled Cyprus, Mr Burt, whose reported comments in Turkey caused his planned visit to Greece to be called off on Monday, arrived in Cyprus on Tuesday night.

The Greek Government main issues in talks on the downgraded the status of Mr future of Burt's visit after he was quoted Greece. in Turkey as saying that there was no US commitment to a fixed ratio of aid to Greece and

Mr Andreas Papandreou the Greek Prime Minister, has said Burt passed quickly through on that the ratio of US aid to Tuesday night without the usual Greece and Turkey is one of the official reception.

future of American bases in

The Cyprus Government spokesman told reporters on Tuesday that comments made by Mr Burt in Ankara were totally inadmissible. Sources at Larnaca airport said that Mr

Lebanon. of the Syrian border. Yesterday's communique said an Israeli bulld zer and

been shooting near Saalouk, but played down the significance of the Syrian communique.

Syrians in new Bekaa flare-up

From Katherine Dourian

Syria claimed yesterday that its forces had opened fire for the second successive day to prevent the Israelis from setting up fortifications along the ceasefire line in the Bekaa Valley.

But Israeli military sources dismissed the Syrian claim as pure rhetoric aimed at heightening tension while Mr George Shultz, the American Secretary of State is visiting the area. Al Baath, the newspaper of the ruling Baath Party in

Damascus, went further and said that the Israeli "provo-cations" could be a signal that Israel was preparing to launch a wide-scale attack against Syria in an attempt by Washington and Tel Aviv to achieve what they had failed to achieve through the invasion of

The editorial comment came a day after Syria released its first military communiqué since June which claimed that an Israeli bulldozer and an armoured personnel carrier had penetrated the buffer zone near the Saalouk Hill. 13 miles west

two armoured personnel car-riers were forced to retreat in the same area.

An Israeli spokesman in suburban Yarze, south-east of Beirut, confirmed there had

Meanwhile a small bomb was discovered and defused yester-day at the American University of Beirut, the third explosive device to be found at the university since the explosion at the US Embassy on April 18.

More school needed to reeducate America

The panel, appointed by the

American schoolchildren may be in for a shock. Standards of education have fallen so drastically in the past 20 years that "our very future as a nation and a people" is threatened, according to an official report that recommends a series of swift

The National Commission on Education Excellence says there should be seven-hour school days, a school year of 200 to 220 days, more homework, more required homework, more required courses for high school studeuts, and better pay for

In almost every respect it is a devastating report. It speaks of "a rising tide of mediocrity" in education, adding that if an unfriendly foreign power had in times past attempted to impose upon America such a mediocre education perform-ance, "we might well have viewed it as an act of war".

Department of Education, called on the Government to provide national leadership, but surprisingly the Reagan Administration escaped criticism over its intention to cut federal education budgets. President Reagan received the report at a White House ceremony and responded: "We are still the world's technological leader, but to get stronger

He added that the findings were consistent with the task of redefining the federal role in education. The report, titled A nation at risk: The imperative for educational reform, was ap-proved manimously by the 18-

we have to be smarter.

that about 13 per cent of all 17-year-olds could be considered "functionally illiterate" by simple tests of everyday reading, writing and

Farmers take to road in drive for price rises

chartered coaches to invade Luxembourg today to exert pressure on EEC Agriculture Ministers to reach agreement on this year's farm price increases for the Community...

pace negotiations. But the annual difficult

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Feuding in the White House

Clark leads hawks, Baker the doves

The other day Mr Michael Deaver, the Deputy White House Chief of Staff, jokingly revealed how he had managed to lose 40lb during the past year. "The secret of the Deaver-diet," he said "is that you only eat on days when senior members of the White House

staff are talking to each other." Behind this joke lies a deepening rivalry between ideological and pragmatic factions among President Reagan's top advisers. So tense have relations become, that some of the principal players spend as much time leaking stories to the press as they do communicating to

The two main protagonists are Mr William Clark, the President's hardline National Security Adviser, and Mr James Baker, the conciliatory White House Chief of Staff. Among Mr Clark's allies are Mr Caspar Weinberger, the Defence Sec-retary, Mrs Jeane Kirkpatrick, the United States representative at the United Nations, and Mr Edwin Meese, the President's

Mr Baker's main supporters are Mr Richard Darman, Presidential Assistant, and usually (but not invariably) Mr Deaver. Several members of the Cabinet frequently side with Mr Baker on particular issues. But his main source of strength is the backing he receives from Republican congressional leaders who approve of his noncombative approach when dealing with the legislative branch of government.

Buffered between these two rival camps is Mr George Shultz, the Secretary of State, who tries where possible to. avoid taking sides. For several months after his appointment



Sunnier days: Mr Reagan hosting an informal lunch at Camp David soon after the appointment of Mr George Shultz as Secretary of State. Left to right: Mr Baker, Mr Shultz, the President, Mr Clark and Mr Meese.

last year Mr Shultz managed to Baker, on the other hand, sees two factions have been most Kirkpatrick, has also taken up

himself increasingly drawn into disputes which encroach on his own sphere of interest - foreign

The feading is essentially over bow the rival groups believe the President should go about accomplishing his goals between now and the 1984. presidential election.

Mr Clark believes the President should keep strictly to the platform on which he was elected in 1980, even if this often makes him appear mili-tant and uncompromising. Mr

flexibility in order to keep and foreign policy. Mr Clark,
Congress and public opinion on who is one of the President's the President's side - or at least to avoid more alienation than The fending between the two

came to the fore earlier this month, when the Senate budget committee, in a resounding rebuff to the President, voted for only a 5 per cent increase in defence spending instead of the 10 per cent that the President ight. This defeat, which could was caused by the failure of the White House to come up with a compromise acceptable to the

calm the troubled waters bethe need for compromise and evident in the fields of defence queathed to him by his flexibility in order to keep predecessor, Mr Alexander Congress and public opinion on who is one of the President's closest and most loyal friends, holds strong anti-communist views - and has a receptive audience in Mr Reagan. His hand can be detected in the

President's recent speeches in

which he described the Soviet

Union as an "evil empire" and proposed the development of a space anti-missile system. Mr Clark has also been urging the President to adopt a tougher line on East-West trade, an issue which could become a point of contention with the ropean allies at next month's

Mr Clark, spurred on by Mrs White House.

Tough talking in the Kremlin

Andropov outlines ways to break Geneva deadlock

With Dr Helmut Kohl, the West German Chancellor, expected to sides means to reach accord on we cannot agree and never will visit the Soviet Union in the next few months. Mr Yuri Andropov. the Soviet leader, last week gave an interview to Herr Rudolf Augstein, publisher of Der Spiegel, the West German

magazine.
The following excerpts on nuclear issues are from a text that was falsely called "zero provided by Novosti, the Soviet

essence of the differences thing between the Soviet Union and It is the United States at the intermediate-range nuclear force talks in Geneva and do vou consider a compromise

Andropov: We understand the concern that the questionsthat are being discussed at talks in Geneva are not finding their solution. These talks, if one is to speak frankly, The Soviet side proposed the

talks and began them with resolve to press for the reduction of the medium-range nuclear weapons of the Soviet Union and Nato countries existing in that area, for a radical mutual reduction of the level of nuclear confrontation. The purpose of the US at the

Geneva talks, as it has tran-spired, is to add at all costs new powerful armaments to the already existing vast nuclear arsenal of Nato. And it is only Soviet missiles that it wants to reduce. As you see, two opposite lines, I would say two fimdamentally different proaches, face each other in

questions to mutual satisfaction. But the American Administration is behaving as though the age-long history of international relations, the practice of agreements and treaties, does not exist. The recent alteration by Washington of its proposal

option" and was unacceptable news agency.

Or What, in your view, is the outset does not change anyto the Soviet Union from the It is also said that the nuclear arms of France and Britain could not be counted because

they purportedly have some "independent status". But have these countries ceased being members of the North Atlantic alliance? Try to look at the situation

from the viewpoint of the Soviet Union, its lawful interests. On what grounds, by what right are we to be left disarmed in face of these British and French nuclear missiles aimed



Mr Andropov: Total freeze proposed

They want us to pretend that we do not notice the more than 400 warheads on the British and French sea and land-based missiles which are aimed at the Soviet Union and other socialist

The Americans, and after them also the representatives of other Nato countries, describe the British and French missiles as a force of "deterrence". I am prepared to allow that that is so. But then the question arises: Why, then, while recognizing the right of France and Britain to deterrence, they deny us the right to have our own deterrent

Q. The West and the East accuse each other of striving for military superiority.... What military superiority.... should an approximate balance look like?

Andropov: Suffice it recall our proposals at the (INF) Geneva talks...At present each side in Europe has about a thousand medium range carrier vehicles of nuclear weapons plus several thousand tactical nuclear warheads each.

Were our most far-reaching proposals accepted (incidentally, in the West they bashfully prefer to hush it up) there would have remained no types of nuclear weapons at all in the European continent, weapons intended to hit targets in Europe, both medium-range and tactical ones

The complexity and danger of the present situation is that the arms race imposed by the

Prem has second thoughts

Bangkok (Reuter) - General Tinsulanonda, the Thai Prime Minister has reconsidered his surprise resignation announced on Tuesday and is ready to accept nomination for another four-year term, reliable political sources said yesterday.

They said the former general, aged 62, reversed his decision after an appeal from Thailand's former Prime Minister, Mr Kukrit Pramoj.

General Frem apparently greed to make himself available to head another coalition government after Mr Kukrit, leader of the Social Action Party (SAP), persuaded him that no civilian coalition could survive without him.

rival, the Chart Thai (Thai Nation) Party, have almost equal support in the 324-seat House of Representatives.

in the past week for the right to form a new government under the leadership of General Prem. who is regarded as the ideal country's elected politicians.

he had no political ambitions and had served long enough.

The two parties have fought

compromise between Thailand's powerful army and the General Prem. Thailand's Prime Minister since the Second World War, said vesterday

Political sources said General Prem is likely to be renominated by Parliament early next. week and would favour the same coalition that formed the last Government -the SAP Chart Thai and the moderate

Democrat Party.
Chart That won its first battle in Parliament yesterday since the snap elections earlier this month when its candidate beat the SAP nominee to become Speaker of the lower house.

General Prem called the poll to avert a possible military coup after Parliament rejected Army hacked constitutional emend

Several senior officers have since stated publicly that the Army would not intervene in the forming of a new govern-

Walkabout in the wet

From Grania Forbes of the PA, Christchurch

Torrential rain and storms forced the cancellation of a trotting race meeting to be attended by the Prince and Princess of Wales in Christchurch. New Zealand, yester-

day.

But the royal couple decided to attend a private dinner at Addington raceway so as not to disappoint guests and well-wishers who were to have lined the track to welcome them. It was a raw, wet day for the Prince and Princess as they

South Island before attending the dinner. .. They want first to Dunedin,

made a whistle-stop tour round

the city farthest in the world from London, where they reopened Otago Boys' High School, which has been completely rebuilt.

After lunch at the school

the issue of Central America, an

area with which Mr Shultz has

so far failed to get to grips. Mr

dent - if he needs reminding -

of the need to "draw the line"

against the spread of Marxism

delegates a large amount of

authority to his subordinates.

has kept out of the battle. However, if he is to retain the

collegial character of his Ad-

ministration he will soon have

to become involved. Otherwise

with an Administration that

will be in almost as much disarray as President Carter's in

the latter days of his stay in the

So far Mr Reagan, who

Clark has reminded the Presi-

the couple received a rousing reception from a large crowd as they went walkabout in the city centre. A small group of troops out of Ireland" demonstrators were at the back of the crowd, and one of them managed to hand Prince Charles a leaflet. He glanced at the pamphlet before it was snatched away by a loyalist who crumpled it and threw it to the ground.

Moscow wants space weapon ban Moscow (Reuter) - Mr Yuri its long-term military planning, Andropov, the Soviet Leader, Mr Andropov said.

yesterday called on the United was reached soon it would be system using laser guns. too late.

In a letter to a group of American scientists, Mr Andropov said that Moscow favoured drafting a treaty which would effectively prevent the deployment of weapons of any kind in orbit.

He accused Washington of preventing any progress towards this goal by blocking talks on a Soviet Treaty proposal put forward in 1981.

The Americans also appeared to be assigning an increasing role to the use of outer space in Soviet Union will continue to

This was an

States to agree to a ban on reference to President Reagan's weapons in space, but gave a call last month for development warning that unless an accord of an orbiting missile defence Mr Andropov said: "Now a

crucial moment is really coming: Either the interested states sit down at the negotiating table without delay to begin drawing up a treaty prohibiting the deployment in space of weapons of any kind, or the arms race will also go over into

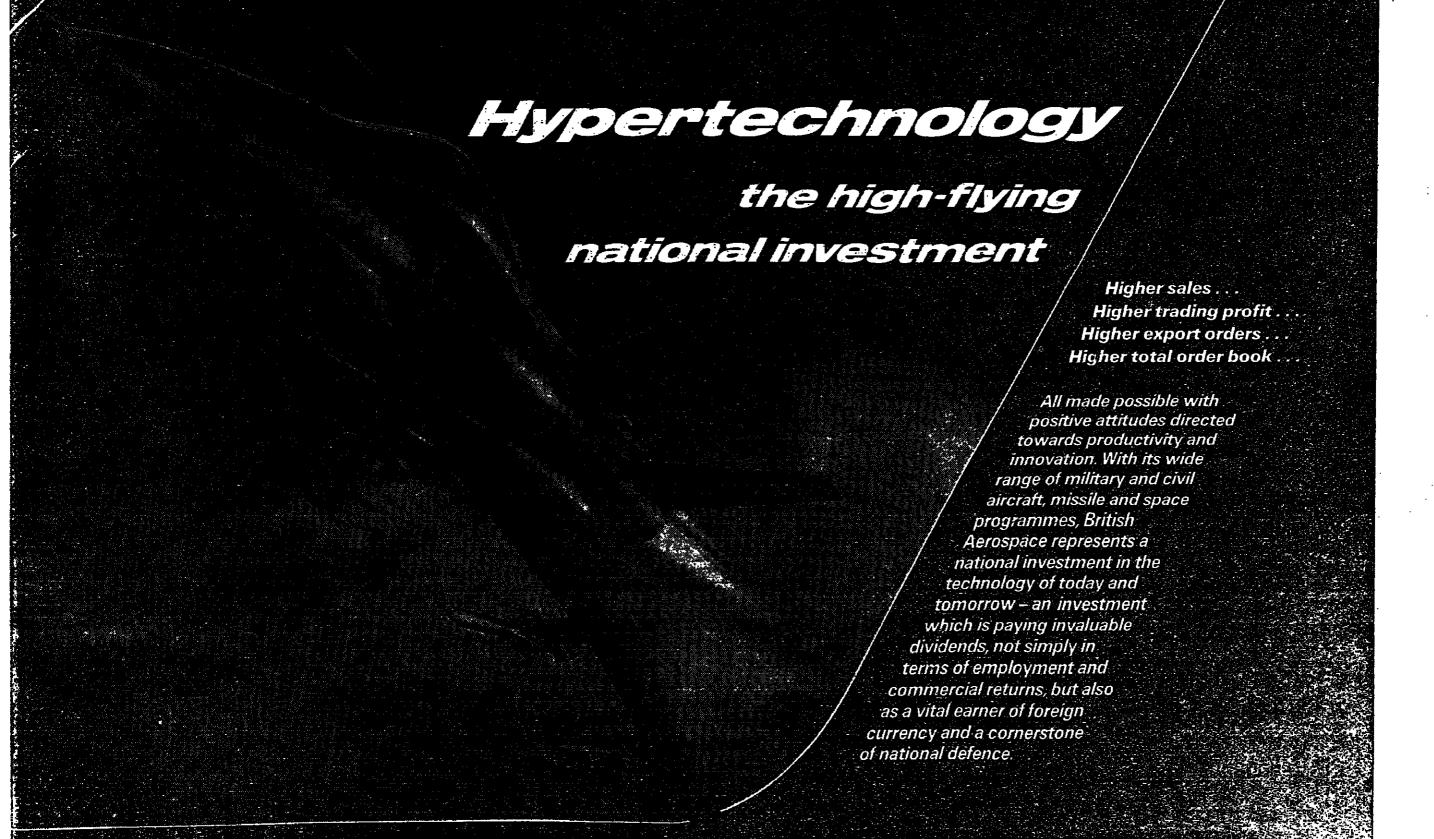
The Andropov letter published by Tass, was in response to an appeal by a group of American scientists for both superpowers to avoid militarizing space. "I can asure you the

exert maximum effort to prevent the ominous plans of transferring the arms race into space from being converted into reality," the Soviet leader said.

US military officials have claimed that Moscow is at least as far advanced as Washington in the development of space war technologies.

Although the thrust of Mr Andropov's letter was to appeal for negotiations on a space weapons ban, his warning that time would soon run out was evidently meant as a warning that Moscow was ready to match any American space weapons systems.

The Soviet leader, however, concluded his letter with an appeal to all scientists to do what they could to prevent the military use of space





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French unrest leads to opposition dream of another May 1968

The wave of strikes, demonstrations and protests in France countries as West Germany, have prompted gleeful warnings The Netherlands and Denmark, another May 1968. While at countries, this stage it seems most During unlikely, the extent of the discontent and general malaise in the country is clearly worrying the Government.

As farmers staged more violent protests in Brittany and thousands of students marched through the streets in Paris. shouting: "Hot hot hot The spring will be hot", M Jean Poperen, the second most senior man in the Socialist Party, warned the Government that its popular support was in danger of collapsing.

"Our popular support is (already) weakening," M Pope-ren said in a Socialist Party document, submitted to President Mitterrand. "The second round (of the municipal elec-tions) in March gave us a respite, but since then the situation has got worse. The respite will very soon be over, and after that the fall (in support) is in danger of being irretrievable."

Most of the disputes have different causes and do not at in Auxerre, Burgundy, earlier in present constitute a concerted the day, while in Quimper, attack on any particular aspect Britiany, the home of the local of the Government's policy. In the case of the farmers, for the weekend by farmers protest-example, it is the EEC system of ing about the imprisonment of MCAs (monetary compensatory amounts) for agricultural prodOn the medical front, no enducts which are at the centre of is in sight to the one-month-old

The French Government junior indeed, supports their call for recently joined by many senior the abolition of MCAs which doctors. The action is severely

no right to do so.

from opposition leaders that and of penalizing French May, 1983, could develop into agricultural exports to EEC During his three-day tour of

the north, which ended yesterday, M Mitterrand described the 18 per cent gap in agricultural prices between the West Germany and France, due to the effect of MCAs, as intolerable, and said that, while France was willing to negotiate with its European partners on that issue, it would not allow laws to be imposed which could ruin its farmers"

That promise has done little to end the farmer's fears or soothe their anger, and they continued yesterday to block customs posts, crect barricades across motorways, and to seize lorries carrying agricultural imports, and destroy their contents. Thousands of tons of meat, vegetables and dairy produce have been lost. In Normandy, about

thousand farmers attacked the prefecture in Caen on Tuesday night, breaking all the windows before trying unsuccessfully to burn it down. There was a similar attack on the prefecture prison chief was ransacked at

strike by university hospital doctors, who were have the effect of subsidizing disruptive in many areas.

agricultural imports from such though emergency services are

The strikers are protesting against proposed government reforms which, they fear, will block career prospects and diminish the autonomy and status of teaching hospitals.

The strike by medical students, now in its third month, has been joined in the past week by thousands of other students throughout the country, mostly in law and economics faculties. who are worried about a variety of proposed reforms, including the introduction of a selective examination at the end of the second year at university.

In other quarters, the inde-pendent Force Ouvrière trade union organization has called out its million members for a national strike on May 18 in protest at the Government's austerity measures. It is the first such national strike to be called since the Socialists came to

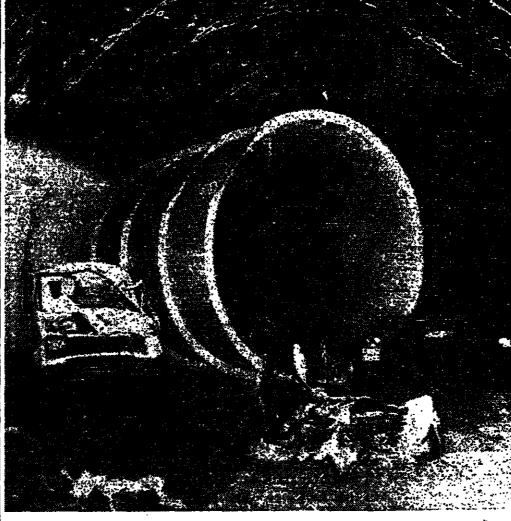
power two years ago.

The CGC, the white-collar workers' union federation, in which deep discontent has been building up for some time about loss of status and purchasing power, has called for a one-day national strike, in autumn.
The Socialist CFDT organi

zation has called a two-day strike of rail workers, starting today, in support of its demand for a 35-hour week. Technicians belonging to the Communist-led CGT succeeded

in blacking out most television programmes during a 24-hour strike yesterday in protest against a fall in real pay. The main teachers' union has

called its members to stop work on May 9 in support of its



11 children killed in Florence tunnel

Democratic Party's first woman

vice-presidential candidate after

her overwhelming victory on Tuesday night when she de-

feated efforts to throw her out

Mrs Feinstein, aged 49, the

first woman mayor of the city,

won with little difficulty. The

recall movement had been

launched by the little-known, self-styled Communist White

Panther Party, but was firmly

Son of Reagan's

lawver 'unfit

to stand trial'

From Our Correspondent

Los Angeles

son of President Resusa'

lawyer, is schizophrenic and

incompetent to stand trial for

the murder and rape of his

mother, a Los Angeles court has

The report came from Dr

Blake Skrdla, appointed by the

court to examine Miller. Miller

is accused of the murder on

March 24, of his mother Marguerite, aged 52, the wife of Mr Roy Miller, President Reagan's lawyer.

Dr Skrdia's opinion could

bolster the defence's efforts to

been told.

Michael Miller, aged 20, the

of office

Motorway tragedy: The giant steel pipe, which swung off the back of a lorry in a tunnel near Florence and caused the deaths of 11 children.

Later another lorry crashed into a threemile queue of cars forced to slow down by the pile-up caused by the steel pipe. Two people died in the second collision.

The double disaster occurred on the Superhighway of the Sun outside Florence on Tuesday. The giant steel pipe, weighing 28,600 lb, fell off a lorry and smashed into the side of the bus, which was travelling from Naples. Eleven children, aged between 11 and 13, on board the bus were killed and 14 others were injured.

"When I arrived, seven children were on

the ground dead and two others were hurled outside the tunnel by the force of the crash," one of the rescue workers said. The bus was taking the children on a five-day holiday organized by their teachers at Lake Garda. PARIS: The French Government has decided to ban from trunk roads and motorways all buses carrying groups of more than 15 children over the two days of heaviest traffic at the beginning of the mass exodus for the summer holidays, which this year falls on July 29 and July 30, Diana Geddes writes.

At the beginning of the summer holiday rush last year 46 children and seven adults were killed when two buses and three cars crashed near Beaune.

EEC stays in dark about ways to create more jobs

ment problems - that was the underlying theme of the speches at yesterday's special session or non octween and seems and the European Parliament in the Labour Party's intention of Brussels, devoted to looking at leaving the Community, With the create jobs in the drawal, he warned, would one

There was little unanimity on what the proper approach should be beyound accepting the need to increase the Community's funds for tackling the problem. British Conservative and Labour MEPs made the most of the occasion to engage in pre-electioneering. Sir Fred Cathwood, Conservative member for Cambridgeshire, made a strong plea to stop protectionism. He also

argued that the Labour rarry serilationary polices would be a disater, and said a new method of restoring stability to the monetary system was a prerequisite for the right economic climate for job creation.

These views led Mr Barry
Seal, Labour member for

Yorshire West, to complain that the dole queue was growing as a result of "Tory mometarists The Confederation of British Industry's critical comments about the special session were the noises of an ostrich burying its head in the sand, he said "and the British Government embarrassed by the spotlight now focussed on Britain's iobless, is preparing to cut and run to an early election".

Mr Ivor Richard, the Labour Commissioner in charge of the Community's social affairs policy, said that without a specific job creation policy, the Community had to face up to living "with unemployment rates of 10 per cent and above as a permanent feature". He pressed for support for his scheme to create an additional

business support in the city and

it made her a virtual certainty

for reclection in November

when she will be seeking

Party will hold its convention in

San Francisco and already there

is talk that Mrs Feinstein could

find herself as the first woman

to run on the Democratic vice-

Next year the Democratic

another four-year term.

Only a European wide ap- 25 million jobs for the under 3 Only a European was approach can help to solve 25s over the next five years.

Six Heavy Plumb, leader of the Conservative group, pointed out what he saw as a contradic.

> Britain 2.5 million jobs The need for Enropean-wide agreement to cut the working week and create more jobs with put forward by Herr Norber Blum, the West German Employment Minister, speaking on behalf of the Council of Ministers. He felt that early retirement was not necessarily good solution if it meant in the experience of trained work.

The need for better training programmes was also wide supported Mr Gaston Thorn it was not a miracle cure for the problem but it was essential if Europe was to face up to the

He called for measures which would put pressure on the governments to increase the necessary funds to create jobs.

Speaker after speaker made in clear that none of these identity stood any chance of successionless the Council of Ministers acted on them

Shipyards proposals: A plan for increased investment in British shipyards, hit by lack of orders, will be discussed in Brussels today by Count. Etienne Davignon, the EEC Industry Commissioner, Derek Harris writes.

The plan will be put to him leaders of a delegation of shipyard workers from the North-East which yesterday joined the demonstrators in Brussels at the European Parliament's special session of

Spanish police defy Government

From Harry Debelius, Madrid

Leaders of the Professional The Spanish Government braced itself yesterday for a test Poice Union (SPP) and the Police Trade Union (USP) of authority which could rock discussed their demands on the foundations of post-Franco democracy, as the police threa-Tuesday afternoon with Senor José Barrionuevo, the Minister of the Interior. They later said tened to go on strike and the Interior Minister said they had that no agreement was reacjed. amd that the Police would goon Señor Felipe Gonzalez, the strike after the municipal and

preparing to abolish the two

laws and that for the past two years the authorities had been ignoring violations of them.

The Conservatives argue that

identity of the white minority

is anathema to the true

Mr Le Grange quickly weighed in to dispel any notion

that the Government might

have been infected by the virus

marriage between "a European

and Coloureds and Indians

apartheid believer.

Prime Minister, told journalists regional elections arranged for in Madrid on Tuesday evening: Sunday week. Señor Barrionuevo told a The conflict worries me because the police corps is press conference a few hours subject to the principle of later. "A police strike is not discipline which cannot be allowed, and the ministry will overlooked, because what is at take opportune measures to stake is nothing less than the

Ban on mixed marriages

in S Africa to stay

From Michael Hornsby, Johannesburg

Government wants to abolish Minister's hint of flexibility to the Mixed Marriages and claim that the Government was

raised liberal hopes by offering the ban on miscegenation must to have the need for both Acts stay to preserve the racial

parliamentary select committee. and to prevent it from being

The two laws prohibit marriage absorbed into an indeterminate

and sexual relations between ethnic melange, a prospect that

Immorality Acts, and has said

Only a week ago Mr P W
Botha, The Prime Minister

examined by an all-party

after coming to office in September, 1978, Mr Botha said

he was ready to consider any

proposals for "improving" the

two laws. Since then little has

This, in effect, has given a

right of veto to the ultra-con-servative Dutch Reformed Church, which is staunchly

opposed to any change in the

Law. All the English-speaking churches want the laws abol-

ished, on the grounds that they

are unChristian and contrary to

Scripture.
The somewhat contradictroy

noises emanating from the Government on the issue are to be explained by the challenge it

crucual by-elections in Tran-

svaal from the extreme right wing Conservative Party of Dr

Andries Treurnicht, a former

the ruling National Party last

blacks and whites.

The policemen basically want a pay rise, but the key issues are also of a political character. One segment of the police forces want the Government to put an end to the practice of giving command assignments in the police forces to army officers on long-term detached duty. It even insists that officers on such assignments at present should be sent back to the

Resentment within the armed forces about their diminshing power in general makes this a delicate issue for the Govern-

Neutral nations

try to wind up

security meeting

softened or dropped a number of key western demands for

improved human rights in the

Machel's two pillars



President Machel Mozambique addressing the opening of the Frelimo Party's fourth congress.

Madrid (Reuter) - Neutral The ruling party has blamed South African Mr Louis Le Grange, the One of the Conservative and non-aligned states protested south African Minister of Law candidates in the coming byyesterday at the lack of progress and Order, has denied that the elections seized on the Prime at the Madrid East-West talks. African aggression and Mozamanizetional and Malta openly questioned the point of continuing the problems for the country's poor economic performance in 1982 after several years meeting which is in its third year, delegates said. of slow but steady growth, The smaller states at the 35-AFP reports. nation Conference on European

Security and Cooperation had A report, by the party's called a special plenary session to voice their concern. central committee, called for decentralization, local Eight of the nine neutral and initiative and cuts in non-aligned states proposed to bureaucracy to end the conference in a Mozambique to overcome compromise concluding docuits economic crisis. ment, tabled in March, which

The support for peasants and local industry were the pillars of a revised economic strategy.

Poll win makes Feinstein a star

From Ivor Davis, Los Angeles Mrs Dianne Feinstein, the crushed as the mayor took 81 Mayor of San Francisco, is per cent of the vote in an being talked of seriously as the election that cost taxpayers

\$400,000 (£255,000).

From the moment the 51,000 absentee ballots were counted. of which she won 90 per cent, there was little foubt she would

It is thought in San francisco that in the long run the recall election was the best thing that could have happened to her. It gave her national promi- Nov nence, it solidified her big job.

presidential ticket, though she insisted yesterday that her main goal was another big win in November and to stay in her

Mr Bill Hayden, the Austra-

The talks will be held during the meeting of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) in Paris. Mr Hayden will also discuss Cambodia with M Claude Cheysson, the French Foreign Minister. The Australians want to play a role in resolving the Cambodian question, just as the French do. The French are also keen to resume aid to Vietnam.

have the young man committed for psychiatric care rather than

Hayden and Shultz to discuss Cambodia

Australia are to discuss Cambo- endorse nothing but emergency

lian Foreign Minister, will meet Mr George Shultz, the US Secretary of State, to discuss the Australian Labour Government's proposals for a settlement of the Cambodian conflict which would include resumption of aid to Vietnam.

On the penultimate leg of an Association of South-East Asian Nations tour to gauge the reaction to the possible resump-

The United States and no doubt that Singapore would natural disaster.

The Australian government has made no form committment on aid, much less defined what form it might take, but it would be in such non-strategic areas as animal husbandry. agricultrual development and teaching English. Mr Hayden plans to visit Hanoi in June.

Australian aid to vietnam was suspended with the Vietnamese invasion of Cambodia in 1979, but last year's Australian Labour Party conference passed a resolution calling for the resumption of aid to reduce Vietnam's "stiffing dependence on the Soviet Union"

In the Asean capitals Mi Hayden has emphasized that any resumption of aid would be part of Australia's plan for a Cambodian settlement which would provide for a phased withdrawl of Vietnamese forces.

Greeks seek extra aid from Ten

From Mario Modisso Athens

The Greek Government has proposed to the European Commission the consolidation f all Greek taxes and duties. imposed to protect local production from Community competition, into a single tax that would be eliminated gradually until the end of the period of grace. This was the main demand in

response to the Commission's position paper on the Greek request for preferential tresment. The Greek reply, consisting of 15 points, was delivered to M Gaston Thorn, the Commission's president.

The text was couched in the Greek Socialists had the aside their campaign rhetoric in favour of a pull-out from the EEC and sought the solution of their problems within the

Community.
It said: "Without consider able improvement of competitiveness and without a substantial expansion of production potential, the consequences of accession on the industrial sector would mortgage the economic future of the coming and lead to the increase of unemployment to unacceptable

levels". A key point, therefore, would be the need for increased financing in support of the Greek five-year plan, which the Community accepted, but the Greek side wanted to see it implemented in precisely defined draft regulations submitted to the Council of Ministers for approval as soon as possible

Third German dies on border

come of this pledge because the of liberalism. Last year, he said, Prime Minister insists there there had been 225 alleged must first be unanimity among contraventions of the Immor-South Africa's churches on the ality Act, which had resulted in Bonn (Reuter) - West Germcharges being laid against 182 any said yesterday another of its citizens had died during quespeople.

The Prohibition of Mixed tioning by East German border Marriages Act was one of the first measures to be enacted by - the third West German death in the neighbour-ing state within the past two the Nationalists after they came to power in 1948. It prohibits

Bonn's Ministry for InterGerman Relations said East
Germany reported that Herr
Heinz Moldenhauer, aged 68,
had a heart attack while being
rebuked by a customs official
on the border with the state of
Hessen over the amount of and a non-European" and any such unions are deemed "void and of no effect". The maximum sentence is seven years imprisonment. Government on the issue are to be explained by the challenge it faces next month in a series of ably fewer than 100 a year Hessen over the amount of The 1950 Immorality Act i currency he was carrying after a day's onting into East Germany. The death is expected to fuel based on a law passed in the 1920s forbidding extra-marital sex between whites and Afria dispute within West Germany's coalition over East-West country and buy an amount of German relations, set off by the East German money at an death on April 10 of Herr exchange rate fixed by the East cans, and extends it to cover sexual relations between whites

Rudolf Burkert, who also suffered a heart attack while being interrogated by East German officials.

The East German news service ADN said on Sunday a West German woman had died of a heart attack while being

can have. Western citizens entering East Germany must declare the

amount of hard currency they

are taking with them into the country and buy an amount of

Germans.

The political row over Herr Burkert's death began when head injuries were discovered by a West German pathologist. East German authorities said he received them when the and strike his head on a radiator while being questioned

On Tuesday Herr Reimar Popken, the West German Prosecutor, said the post mortem on Herrr Burkert had shown no evidence of foul play. The right-wing Christian Social Union led by Herr Franz Josef Strauss, one of the three parties in Bonn's coalition government, has used Herr Burkert's death to demand a tougher line against East bloc

Russia expecting Afghanistan victory Moscow (Reuter) - A senior Kremlin official was quoted yesterday as saying that the Soviet Union believed the war against anti-government guer-rillas in Afghanistan was enter-

tion of Australian aid to Vietnam, Mr Hayden was left in

rillas in Aignausses ing a decisive phase.

Mr Sharaf Rashidov, a member of the candidate member of the Polithuro, told a political meeting in Kabul that Moscow was confident of victory for the Soviet-backed Afghan Government. "The battle with the counter-revolution is now en-

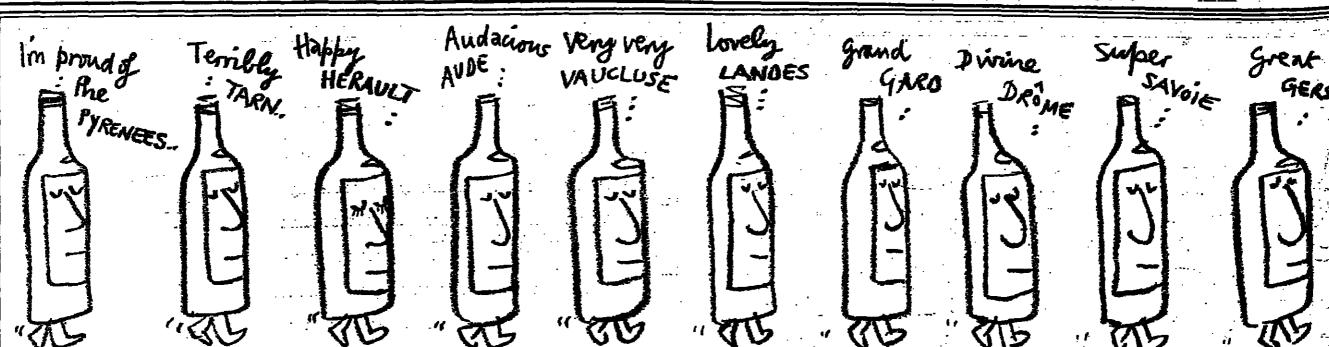
tering a decisive stage," he said.

Mr Rashidov, the Communist Party chief in Soviet Uzbekistan, was speaking at celebrations marking the fifth anniversary of Communist rule in Kabul. His comments were reported by Prayda.

He made no direct mention of Soviet military involvement in Afghanistan Soviet and Afghan government forces are believed by Western military experts to be ready for a big spring offensive

agaisst the Mouslim guerilles who control most of the Afghan countryside. Most Western analysis be-

scores some successes, it will be years before Moscow can chieve a military victory over Mr Rashidov said that his predictions of imminent success were based partly in evidence of growing support for the Kabul. Government of Mr Babus.



The loudest silence in jazz was broken two years ago when the great trumpeter Miles Davis returned to the stage. In London for this week's concerts he talked to Richard Williams about his recovery from ill health and the present direction of his music

On top of all the beat

"I'll answer your questions if you'll print my drawings", Miles Davis said, and half-rose from the deep couch of his hotel room to offer for

inspection a large drawing pad, its pages covered with felt-tip sketches.

Mostly of young women's faces, many with everything but the eyes and lips excluded, scored and shade in bright hold colours they rein bright, bold colours, they re-sembled simplifications of the sen-sual, fantastical paintings of Abdul Mati Klarwein which adorned the covers of Davis's popular records of the early 1970s: the ones, such as Bitches Brew and Live Evil, which took the trumpeter out of the dusty confines of the jazz market and into the rock racks, next to Carlos Santana and the Grateful Dead.

Since opportunities to listen to Davis's answers roughly approximate in frequency to the appearances of Haley's Comet, the deal might have been tempting. No need, as it turned out the obsessive sketching is not the basis of a new career for the most influential jazz musician of his era, but simply a way of killing time in aeroplanes, limousines and hotel rooms, that, and perhaps a gentle kind of therapy.

Miles Davis's health has been a hot topic since he disappeared into a premature retirement in 1975, at the age of 49. Part of this most arismatic performer's proud image derived from his widely publicized habit of keeping himself in top physical condition through daily workouts with a punch-bag in the gymnasium. Now, it was whispered, he had broken his legs in a car accident, he was suffering from a disease which was making his joints seize up, his hips were disintegrating, he had woken up one morning and found himself unable to use his right

When, two years ago, he re-emerged into the public arena, he to a frightening degree physically reduced. On stage in London he moved slowly and painfully; he appeared literally to have shrunk. The imperious carriage and the feline prowling which had contributed to his legendary presence were completely gone; he played beautifully, but mostly from a chair.

I had been requested, before meeting him in London this week, on the eve of the first of his two concerts at the Odeon, Hammersmith (the second of which takes place tonight), not to broach the subjects of sex, drugs or the extramusical aspects of "the past". Fine by me, since I wanted to talk to him about music, but it seemed only right to inquire after his health - particularly since it was obvious, upon meeting him, that the past year had treated him more room with difficulty as he fetched

himself bottles of mineral water, but the brightness of his eyes and the sheen of his skin suggested an altogether fitter man. Nor was he reluctant to discuss the topic: he talked freely and graciously, with dry humour and great animation, utterly dispelling the received image of surly

All the rumours of accidents and ill health had, he said, been true. He into a highway line-divider, at a mere 30 mph, breaking both ankles, his joints had dried up; his hand had been paralyzed by a slight stroke; there had been problems with drugs.

Conventional medicine had been employed to no avail. Then his wife, the actress Cicely Tyson, had taken him to Dr Shin, an acupuncturist, whose needles did the job. "He brought the hand back. Feel Press on it.

It stayed rock steady. "A couple of years ago it was like this": he bunched the fingers into a deformed shape. "Now I have acupuncture all the time. It's good for the circulation. And I swim every

As he once boxed?
"Anything to help the wind is good for a horn player. When I first started back playing, I got out of breath all the time. Swimming is good for that. If I don't do it, everything tightens

"Me change? Of course. Having two guitar players makes me change. They don't have to breathe like a horn player does."

up. And I take the Chinese herbs that Dr Shin gives me. They build me up.

And I quit smoking.
"When I play, I wear a truss and a rubber corset. Here": he grabbed my hand, put it to his abdomen and made me push against it. "The muscles there are important if you play from the stomach, like I do.'

Then we talked about music. Was he still listening to contemporary pop, in the way that he did 15 years ago, when he vowed to put together "a better rock band than Jimi Hendrix"?

"Sure. Prince, Michael Jackson, stuff like that", he said, naming two popular young black soul singers. Did he draw ideas from them?

"It's useful. But mainly to see what you don't want to do, as always. It's nice to see someone else fall off the ladder! You can hear things that you wouldn't do yourself, without having That kind of music seems to be getting more electronic, more mech-anical.

"You can tell. It's nice if you know how to put it with something else. I've got an Oberheim synthesizer that I'm using on stage, but I haven't read the instruction book yet." He laughed. "It would take somebody like Paul Buckmaster or Gil [Evans] or Quincy [Jones] or J. J. [Johnson], one of those writers who'd really know how to use it. Nowadays instead of going on the road with a big band you just reach and grab a button and have the sound of brass or strings, but of course you can't replace the interplay - going in and out of those swells and lows. What you miss, too, is the unevenness of tone that gives it a thrill. You might have five trumpet players, each with a different sound and attack, who make the sound you want."

The band with which he arrived in London this week contains two young guitarists, symbols of his continuing engagement with the surfaces, if not the modes, of rock.

"I've always liked the sound of the guitar. And of the sitar. I like all the strings, except the violin. It's too high-pitched for me. I can't hear that high. When I first started playing, it was low - middle to low register. I couldn't hear above that. Just lately, though, I've been able to hear up to octavissimo F, G, A sometimes.

What did he mean by "hear"? That anything pitched in the upper register did not make a pleasureable sound to him? "Uh huh."

Davis has always been famous for his ability to draw into his band young unknowns who would go on to become stars. John Coltrane, Bill Evans, Wayne Shorter, Herbie Hancock, Chick Corea, John McLaughlin and Keith Jarrett are just a few examples. What did he look for when scouting new talent?

"You have to see, first, if someone's open-minded. Then you figure out how they'll work with the rhythm section. They've got to feed the rhythm section just as much as the rhythm section feeds them. Denzil Best, the drummer, used to say to me: 'Don't play too far behind the beat because you'll work me too hard'. It's like stepping on your dancing partner's feet. Understand? I can't stand having a drummer drop the tempo. Drives me nuts."

Did he subscribe to the conventional wisdom among critics that, although he has chosen to subject the surface of his music and the methods of its construction to marked changes - many of them deeply controversial over more than three decades, the style of his own playing has remained "Me change? Of course. Having



two guitar players makes me change. don't have to breathe like a horn player does." He mimed a guitarist's flowing unbroken line. They rub off on me. I like to play on top of the beat. Or wherever, you

know? It's give and take." As a man famously scornful of retrospection in all its forms, what did he think of VSOP, the band including several of his former employees which for the past half-dozen years has enjoyed popular success with its recreation of the tense, sophisticated music he devised in the middle 1960s?

"Do you go back to Bernard Shaw for material? I only heard of VSOP three weeks ago. They wouldn't be able to get the same kind of intensity. I wouldn't get the same thing now, either. Nobody fights like this any more": he demonstrated the classic straight-left lead of the Queensberry stance. "There's more science in it

What had made him so insistent in his need to evolve throughout his

'Are you wearing the same kind of

with white stitching, is in almost every respect identical to the one on stones, recorded 25 years ago.
"You mean the green one? Oh.

Nowadays, he said, he is interested in writing tunes in small fragments, six-bar and 10-bar melodies which progress in a circular manner, with no apparent beginning or ending. He drew the contrast between that and the enclosed forms used by Charlie Parker, one of his early employers.

"Beboppery, or whatever they called it. When I was playing with Bird, we never called it that. White people called it that." What did he call it?

"Nothing Dizzy, Monk, Bud Powell, Howard McGhee, Budd Johnson, Lester Young, all those guys were playing it. The style came from Kansas City. Clark Terry was playing like that in St Louis. Then it got to New York and somebody

Did he think that the idiom of jazz

"I never heard anybody sound like me. Or like Dizzy. I've heard them copy the approach ... "

is worth preserving, along with its traditions, in the modern world? "There's a place for it. It shouldn't be lost. There was a guy, as I think about it, when I came to Paris, or maybe it was London, in 1949, who played just like Coleman Hawkins. That shouldn't be lost. Lester Young, Dexter Gordon - those styles shouldn't be lost. But I can't do

Along with Armstrong, Parker, Young and Gillespie, Davis has been among the most closely imitated of jazz musicians. Throughout the 1950s and 1960s, whenever he sneezed, the jazz world deemed it sneezed, the jazz world deemed it necessary to catch a cold just to stay in fashion. How had it felt, imprisoned in a hall of mirrors, constantly surrounded by reflections of himself? Had it presented him with the psychological difficulties encountered, for example, by the sensitive Lester Young? sensitive Lester Young?

"I never heard anybody sound like me. Or like Dizzy. I've heard them copy the approach, but it never made me feel one way or the other. As a matter of fact, I like it. I like the tone they try to get.

"When I was a student at Juilliard, about 1948, 2 guy tried to make fun of me. He was with the Metropolitan Opera orchestra, and he tried to make me play Body and Soul' so that he could laugh at my tone. What he was really doing was calling me Nigger', putting down the jazzy tone. Now they all have that tone, and if you play like Harry James you can't get a job."

And then, mischievously, added: "White people are so prejudiced that they make the trumpets on the Oberheim sound white. Imagine that A prejudiced synthesizer! Ain't that something?" Is it true, I asked, that he and his great friend Gil Evans, who arranged the enormously successful albums Porgy and Bess and Sketches of Spain for him in the 1950s, are planning a

new project together?
"I don't know why everybody always asks me that."

Because they hope that it's true.
"Yeah, I know." A good-natured sigh. "Gil still does a lot of things for me. He comes up with bass patterns, stuff like that. We just click together. We might do something, we might

As the photographer moved in: Davis clamped on a pair of miniature headphones, through which he listened to a cassette of the previous night's concert in Brussels. Chuckling occasionally at what he heard, he paused and rose for an amiable

"You coming to the concert?" Of course. None less, I told him, would do.

Chinese television must surely Peter Ackroyd Edinburgh

Viennese

Television

'Cultural'

riches

males seem to smoke continu-ally, and their anxious puffing

on somewhat slender cigarettes did not suggest any real enthusiasm for the Great Tasks ahead of them; this impression was confirmed by the sight of Chinese transpare letting of the

Chinese teenagers letting off the traditional firecrackers in a

bored and dispirited fashion.

No doubt they were dreaming

of Yamaha motorbikes and punk music, although I suspect that they would be too nervous

It was certainly not the impression which last night's

programme (the first of three)

anted to convey. The empha-

sis, instead, was resolutely

upbeat. There were scenes of

prosperous Chinese families celebrating a wedding, and the by now familiar spectacle of

cheerfully to work. The principal spokeswoman was a Mrs Ding, who spoke of the

unhappy situation in China before "liberation" and of the

excesses during the Cultural

Revolution despite this un-

rivalled capacity among the Chinese for internecine warfare

and murderous purges, she

seemed surprisingly cheerful

about the contemporary situ-

ation. But Mrs Ding also

happened to be a leader of the

commune and a member of the

Communist Party. Her card was

It seemed to be taken for

granted, not only by the "official" peasants but also by

that "liberation" was a good

thing - even if it meant that hundreds of millions of people

ended up wearing blue suits -

and that everything was getting

even better. Living with 18,000 people on

a commune does, after all

sound like hell on earth. And, if

that seems to be merely a

bourgeois prejudice, it is one which the Chinese themselves

are likely to embrace. The new

emphasis, last night's programme suggested, is on "mat-

erial incentive and individual

effort". "In 1980 we bought a

television set and we enriched our cultural life", Mrs Ding's

husband explained at one point:

even if we allow for the element

"newspeak" here,

film-makers themselves

to say so.

This year's Edinburgh Festival, from August 21 to September 10, includes performances by burg, St Louis and Scottish), six theatre companies (including the Haifa Municipal) and eight orchestras (including the Concertgebouw, Czech Philhar-monic, Philharmonia, LSO and

LPOL

The underlying theme of the festival is Vienna 1900, which will be reflected in a major exhibition in the National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland. Concert programmes include music by Mahler, Wolf. Bruckner, Schoenberg (Gurrelieder, with the Scottish National Orchestra and Edin-National Orchestra and Edinburgh Festival Chorus), Berg, Webern and Zemlinsky. The last of these will also be represented by two one-act operas based on stories by Oscar Wilde, A Florentine Tragedy and The Birthday of the Infanta, given by the the Infanta, given by the Hamburg company, which additionally presents Die Zauauditionally presents Die Zau-berflote in a production by the painter Achim Freyer. St Louis brings Delius's Fennimore and Gerda and Stephen Paulus's The Postman Always Rings Twice, Scottish Opera (in a co-production with Geneva) gives Death in Venice. Death in Venice.

Three plays relevant to the Viennese theme will be presented: Hugo von Hofmannsthal's libretto for Rosenkavalier in the form the author originally ntended, Karl Kraus's epic The Last Days of Markind and, by the Haifa company, Yehoshua Sobol's The Soul of a Jew.

Ballet Rambert make their irst appearance at the festival, John Percival Robert North.

Theatre

Middleton's case unproved

The Roaring Girl Barbican

This production marks a welcome break in the custom of treating the Jacobean play-wrights as poor relations, to be occasionally entertained in the austere little studios of our great houses while Shakespeare or some other big name is enjoying full hospitality upstairs.

It also marks another attempt in the long-running campaign for Thomas Middleton, begun back in the 1960s with the RSC (studio) production of Women Beware Women. Since then, the stage has succeeded in confirming Eliot's high opinion of Middleton as a tragic dramatist; Middleton the comedian remains out in the cold.

The Roaring Girl is one of Middleton's collaborative pieces, written with Dekker and capitalizing on a popular type of the time. Roarers, from Ancient Pistol and Jonson's Kastril to the roaring academy in A Fair Quartel, were the much-ridi-culed skinheads of their time. But in this case the sympathy is entirely on the roarer's side. Based in part on the under-

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marital and financial intrigues and shows her winning every ethical battle as well as outfenc-

around St Paul's Walk soliciting radesmen's wives, spreading home-breaking gossip about their husbands and planning excursions to the "vile den of vice, Brentford". The most reptilian of them, Laxton (who gets a characteristically resonant and vulpine performance from Jonathan Hyde), is extracting Jonathan Hyde), is extracting money from a doting apoth-ecary's wife to spend on his other women. But, if there is a central plot, it is young Sebas-tian's plan to win over his money-mad father to consenting to a modestly genteel match by trumpeting his intention of marrying the scandalously unacceptable Moll Cutpurse.

Old Alexander mobilizes everything in his coffers to frustrate this ruinous possibility: engaging another roarer, world figure of Mary Frith - the Trapdoor, to lead Moll into first woman to smoke in public trouble, leaving money and and wear breeches and a sword jewels around for her to steal,

(and still very much alive when the play first appeared) - The impregnable honesty.

Roaring Girl implants this Eliot considered Moll a

direct, courageous rebel in the pattern of "free and noble midst of a set of conventional womanhood"; but the authors gave her no reason for being anything else. They present her as a girl who knows all about it (where does her money come Sub-plots proliferate like from?), and who can get on groundweed as the gallants buzz quite happily without sex. She

company, who are up to their necks in all these temptations; but it does not release her as the great comic character that has been claimed.

As Helen Mirren plays her, fetchingly putting down the assembled male talent in a Jacobean jump suit, she has little more dramatic substance than a principal boy. She certainly radiates mirth: whipping off her cap to challenge the unspeakable Laxton to a duel just as he is preparing to abduct her to Brentford, and masterminding the prison-break so as to haul up wicked Sergeant Curtilax in a net for a good ducking. But, as her triumphs are so inevitable and the



Resonant and vulpine: Jonathan Hyde, Helen Mirren

surrounding characters so sketchily drawn, much of the fun seems to be happening in the far distance.

As the work of Barry Kyle, the production lacks the focus and sense of particular character he brought to reclaiming The Maid's Tragedy. Chris Dyer supplies a composite London set, complete with giant wooden effigies and a set of cog-wheels representing Tudor capitalism that finally start turning when you have given up hope. The effect is one of vertical tourism, especially when the crowds of London poor march menacingly into Sir Alexander's front room, with the obligatory legless

It goes without saying that the feminist emphasis gets its full due; Sorcha Cusack, Stephanie Fayerman, Jennie Goossens and the other ladies, ill-used by rapacious lovers or inadequate spouses ("I cannot abide these apron husbands!") one by one turn on them in wrath. But the force of the polemic is some-what undermined by the compulsive wordplay, which gets into an early rut of back passages. Low Countries and passages. Low Countries and prick songs which have you yearning for unintelligible Jaco-bean bawdry. The production is a brave event, but the case for Middleton the comic artist

Irving Wardle

Sankai Juku Sadler's Wells

The most startling and memorable moment in the new show by the Japanese Sankai Juku sudden, simultaneous falling of four spears from the darkness above the stage into its faintly lit corners. The effect of the thud and the sight of them standing where nothing was before is shocking to the spectator and to the lone figure in a small patch of light, centre-

The vivid use of stage properties and lighting is properties and lighting is arguably the group's greatest strength. Two huge rings, first seen lying on stage, lift and revolve; the men manipulate them with soft movements of spears. Plastic screens impose a pattern on a figure seen behind them, or swing round and reflect images. Pictorially it is most striking (and Hiromichi Takeyama's disposition of the lighting in various areas and different volumes is masterly), just as is the sculptural arrangement of the five nearly nude male bodies.

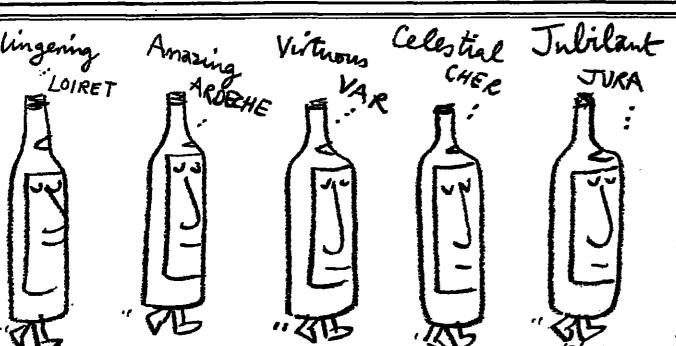
On the other hand, that visual emphasis implies a certain lack of kinetic quality. The Buto style (a modern invention) is less slow than

Dance

but it is still long-winded, and the controlled use of tray movements, especially by the hands, cannot hide the fact that, when the men attempt to suggest mirror-images, coordination is poor. Nor is the theme made clear,

company at Sadler's Wells is the at least to Western eyes. The programme tells us that Jomon Sho, the title of this piece, means "Homage to Pre-history", but only the scene of four figures, wriggling across the floor in sacks with primitive fish-skeletons attached to them, suggested a recognizable stage in the evolutionary process. At one point I thought I saw humankind trying to stand upright, but the synopsis assures me that the episode in question means "sickness is incurable". A good many elements in

Jomon Sho recur from last year's presentation, Kinkan Shonan: a fact emphasized by the opening, in which four of the men enter strung by their feet from the upper reaches of the stage – the trick that ended the pressions show. Fair enough the previous show. Fair enough to repeat images (painters do it all the time), but how are we supposed to put a different dramatic meaning on them, as seems intended? If Jomon Sho is an advance, it is by elimination; even less happens in its 75 minutes. The house looked thin, but many people



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SPECTRUM

Dear Diary, another fascinating day

MODERN TIMES

A sideways look at the British way of life

Whatever the Führer was really doing in his bunker at two o'clock each morning may still be a matter of one thing seems debate but clear; keeping a diary is in danger of becoming a dying art. Fewer people than ever are committing their private reflections to a small leatherbound volume at the end of the day. Even though every third person in Britain has a diary and 20 million were sold last year, most entries now seem to be restricted to "another wet

day" or, at best, "severe headache after reading the latest instalment of Hitler's diaries" Let us hope diarists are not a dying breed, not just because they provide a delicate collation of the intimacies of life, the jealousies

and the hubrises of the world, which have proved invaluable to historians and a delight to publishers, but also because they are full of such interesting trivia.

What history of this century's politics could be called complete which ignored Chips Channon's diary or Harold Nicolson's daily jottings or which overlooked Richard Crossman's unforgettable description of Sir Harold Wilson "tubby in a yellow shirt, blue trousers and pale blue shoes" collapsing "through the seat of his deckchair at Barbara Castle's champagne and calypso silver wedding party"? What history of our time could really dismiss Evelyn Waugh's precise description of Randolph Churchill: "it was a typical triumph of modern science to find the only part of Randolph that was not malignant and remove it"?

The diary is not entirely dead. Barbara Castle recorded on the night of Mrs Thatcher's election as leader of the Tory Party: "She is so clearly the best man among them" – a phrase which has haunted the Prime Minister ever since. And Cecil King wrote that Willie Whitelaw viewed her as "able and good in the House, but in her dealings with people the is ant to leature and buildoze her way when dealings with people she is apt to lecture and bulldoze her way when more conciliatory methods would be more successful."

lthough she has never officially confirmed it, some suspect that the Prime Minister herself is keeping a diary. The statistics show that far more women than men buy them and keep them up to date as a record of their lives. But she may be the only member of the present Cabinet who is doing so. Even a previous member, Norman St John Stevas, has been denying doing it.

Perhaps writing a diary is too much of a strain. A. J. P. Taylor once wondered whether "Samuel Pepys did not sometimes groan with dismay at the thought that he must seduce yet another serving maid in order to provide material for the day's entry." But their value as an intimate record is unsurpassed. Captain Bligh's diaries, for example, covered 107 damp pages and contained the names of the mutineers, a rough chart and a prayer. John Wesley's were written in a special code of dots and dashes that has only recently been cracked. President Truman confessed to his diary his fears about the atomic bomb: "We have discovered the most terrible bomb in the history of the world. It may be the fire destruction prophesied in the Euphrates Valley era, after Noah and his famous

A diary is an obligation but also a pleasure. Lady Antonia Fraser writes something in hers every day, although, like Mrs Mary Whitehouse, who used to write hers before breakfast, she has apparently not got publication in mind. Mrs Whitehouse intends to leave hers to her children, "with the strict instructions that they wait until everyone is dead." Lady Antonia has said: "I make sure I write nothing which might be embarrassing. I'll probably burn them."

ueen Victoria was a conscientious diarist (her censored diary was published and became a best seller) as is the Queen herself - although hers is locked away when she's not using it. But, typically, the Prince of Wales does not keep one because he dislikes the paperwork. In any case the royal archives rather than a Sunday newspaper are the inevitable resting place for a royal diary.

It is the private and personal nature of a diary during an author's life that makes it so compelling. Arnold Wesker explained it some years ago. "Perhaps it's because there is no one you can tell certain things to - people nearly always end up abusing confidences - or you've got a bad memory or you surprise or despise yourself and you've got to say it somewhere."

Perhaps some people see writing a diary today as almost too gross an act of conceit, because so many are published so quickly, but if they were left until after their death no one could deny their fascination. It is a revelation that publishers, with an eye to their bank balance, have never disregarded. The success of The Country Diary of an Edwardian Lady pays tribute to that and even Dr Goebbels's posthumous diaries were a substantial success.

Sadly, imminent publication seems to have become the principal reason for those who keep a diary to persevere with the task. Private recollection has been replaced by public curiosity. The lofty defnition of Encyclopaedia Britannica that the work was "an aid to memory or reflection and without intention of being published during the author's lifetime" has disappeared, although John Evelyn, who kept his diary for 70 years, was not published until 100 years after his death. Neither was Jonathan Swift's journal nor Fanny Burney's

The diarist can still be the deflater of afflatus and the chronicler of the unexpected and illuminating trivia of our times, but perhaps, to be on the safe side, he should write it in front of an historian - and never, never send it by air mail. Geoffrey Wansell



SCHOOLGIRL'S/Gabrielle Young Twelve-year-old schoolgirl

"It's called a Daeg Book, an American diary, I got it at Christmas from my Nan. It's about three quarters the size of the Penguin paperback. I write in it every day, just before I get into bed - I should say bunk really: I kneel on the floor and lean on the mattress of my bunk. I write with a ballpoint and it tends to be not always very tidy. Sometimes I don't like writing it too much - I do it quickly to get it over with, when I can't think of things or I'm tired. Sometimes it's just short sentences -read a good book'; other times when I've a lot to say I fill up the whole page. If I've had an argument with someone at school I might put that in – or if I get a letter from one of my pen friends, I'll mention that (I have fifteen!) I've shown it to my friend and I've read hers when she came to stay the night. My parents have said they don't want to read it. I like that. I want them to respect it, not look when I don't know about it, and they won't. I've started it and I want to keep it up. I've only missed two nights - one when I was tired I forgot and once when I was away and had forgotten to take it. I want to put everything down on paper, properly – to start and finish well. I hope I'll keep it up. . . J'd like to keep it for my



FICTION/Sue Townsend Author of The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole

"As a child – when I was about 11 or 12 – I kept a diary for a few weeks. It was found and I was punished, because it told the truth. I'd never keep a diary now except in a bank vault. The truth is not palatable. I found Adrian Mole very easy to write - I remembered my own adolescence and it's not that different whether it's a girl or a boy and I've two teenage sons of my own and am always surrounded by adolescents. I've always had a lot of sympathy for children and teenagers. I wanted the diary to remind adults that there are these little sensitive creatures underneath the punky hairdos. I just found Adrian Mole's voice - once you've found it it's difficult to forget, almost a monologue. Yes of course there's a lot of me in the diary - the entry might depend on what had been happening to me that day. I wrote it in black felt broad tipped pen in block capitals on A4 lined paper, with a margin. That's the only way I can write. It took five or six months. Yes, boys of a similar age do seem to like it. I was at a book signing, which I don't like doing, and there was a line of 14-year-old schoolboys queueing and blushing. They were reading the diary at school and were now 'doing a project' and keeping their own diaries."



MULTI-MEDIA/Joan Bakewell writer, broadcaster and television presenter

"I write intermittently, about six times a year perhaps - when there is a significant event in my life or some sort of change I want to record I write longhand in a ruled book. When I travel I aiways keep a diary at the end of the day or the beginning of the next. I write about the place and the little things that bappen that you'd otherwise forget quickly and I sometimes make my family tell me what they remember, to prompt me really. I write notes to remind me of memories, to bring to life the high and low points of my life, on impulse - a new job, a new opportunity, to mark a celebration of some kind. No one else sees them, they never bother to inquire. They just assume they are private. If anyone did read them, my first reaction would be 'what a nerve', and I imagine they'd be a little surprised, think 'I didn't know that about her'! If I think of the future at all it would be more for the grandchildren - the children are too close somehow and would say 'she got it wrong'. Not 'she tells all about her life' but as kind of record for them I suppose. I did keep a diary of one particular event, the Booker Prize of '81 and all that preceded that! That's real truth, a lot of information there – all those embattled egos! And I keep a kind of diary on tape - the Bakewell Tapes.



DłPLOMATIC/Parviz Radji

"At the beginning I was not aware of their potential significance. I was merely keeping a record of the activities of a diplomat accredited to London. As events unfolded and because more dramatic I had the feeling that something bigger was afoot. I developed a conscience and kept a record of cables sent and received. I can't put my finger on the moment when I knew just how important the diary was. When I started to write I had at the back of my mind that I would return to Iran but as the clouds darkened I realized that I may not be able to. It was this that brought about the breach of discipline. I would fill in my day by scribbling notes in green ballpen whenever I felt like it, without allowing too great a lapse of time between events. Had I been surrounded by a family, wife, friends, maybe I wouldn't have spoken – but I never had the courage to take the matrimonial jump, my brother was in Tehran and there was no one with whom to let down my hair, share the accumulated burdens of the day. It was a kind of catharsis to keep the diary, compulsive writing. Do I regret it? No, in a sense I'm glad. One's friends were constantly telling one that there was nothing more pompous than an ambassador's diary. Perhaps I was a little too honest."



AIDE-MEMOIRE/Daphne Rac Wife of the Head Master of Westminster

"} keep a day-to-day diary for appointments. Because of my strange memory it is also useful for triggering off memories of particular events. John has a school diary for day to day matters and his own private diary - I think he writes more than I do! Until you suggested it I wouldn't have called some of the other writings a diary, but I suppose they are. I write things that I want to remember. I was in Brazil recently with my daughter and I wrote down all my impressions before I left; and I've just come back from Texas - John and I were at Baylor University and were terribly impressed by the students; I loved America though I hadn't wanted to go. I wrote about that too. I write at night, either until 2 or 3am, or if I've been tired and have gone to bed I might wake up at 3am and write then. Because of my dyslexia I can't cope with writing if people are coming in or out or even read when music is being played. I write longhand, on a board (there's one upstairs and one downstairs) on the end of which there's a piece of string. pencil and rubber - I always write in pencil - and type during the day. Basically I just write about things that interest me . . . writing a diary every day for the sake of it would bore



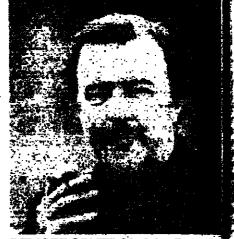
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"I've kept them for 15 years – they used to be written in leather-bound note books and those Florentine marbled notebooks, now they're in exercise books. Keeping a diary takes a lot of time. If one starts a page and is interrupted one never goes back and finishes it; that isn't playing by the rules. They're more or less rely devoted to my love life and have been always, except that when I was at school I was in love with girls, the current one is about the man in my life at the moment. The only people to have read them are a schoolfriend who read the ones about school – and a boy friend of mine has read them all, though he hasn't been allowed to read it for nearly a year: we were very close and we are less so now. I write longhand which is frightfully irritating. I'd prefer to type but again that would be breaking the rules and then one would be shaping, editing it. You cannot lie to it: if for example you were shown up or humiliated in a situation you can't twist it and say 'of course, I didn't really like him'. They're all kept on a shelf behind my bed. I'd be absolutely horrified if anyone to whom I hadn't given permission read them. Someone once did and I was very angry. You have to be very careful about who knows how vulnerable you are . . . '



POLITICAL/Barbara Castle MEP for Greater Manchester North

I didn't keep diaries as a child but I've but them on and off for years. You have to be very strongly motivated if you have as busya like it have — an intense political interest. East the the sheer pressure of time meant there were paps sometimes. I used to jot down short-knot notes about turns of speech, particular attitudes, events of any importance, either of the moment they happened or immediately afterwards – or if it was terrifically dramatic afterwards - or it it was terraicing granafic late the same night: when we had a very small majority we were sometimes kept very late in the House. I could sit and type up on my little typewriter - I'm a rapid typer on three finger rypewriter — I'm a rapid typer on three ingent — then I'd read it through and make little corrections at the weekend. Keeping the diaries meant sacrificing a lot of leisure and sleep. I always record faithfully — compliment as well as criticisms. For instance I was alway highly critical of Jim (Callaghan), but I might with the compliment in the control of the cont write Jim was absolutely brilliant in the House this afternoon. Ted read them and be would sometimes say 'you can't say that' I'd say, I did say that so I've got to put it is. The 74-76 diaries were published in September 1980, as I remember, it took the courage of an ux to face people at the Labour Party Conference, but for people like David Oyeng



REMOTE CONTROL/John Goodwin Editor of the diaries of Peter Hall (above)

"It was all dictated into a tape every mornin as regularly as brushing one's teeth, and tool up afterwards. He started them in the spiniol '72 – only to form thoughts, clear his mind it had no interest in them being published. The span from just after he was appointed to succeed Olivier as Director of the National E 1980, 'the end of the beginning of the new building'. After the tapes were typed there were well over 1,200,000 words. He told me about them three years ago. I read them and suggested they should be published while still warm - I don't think stuff should gather dui in drawers do you? . . . I think the tapes really were a kind of therapy - very candid, seri d stream of consciousness stuff. They were a kind of thought focuser, written to relieve his feelings and record his doubts. He might just have had it in mind that they might be the basis of a book some day - Jonathan Cape : approached him years ago I know - but that wasn't really the point of them. I'm the only person who has read it all through: he certainly basn't!"

> Interviews by Judy Froshaug

ONLY TO FIND THAT PROF. CLEVER-PROBER HAS GOT Well, the extreme FLAVIA FLIESTO SCOTLAND TO AUTHENTICATE shortness of It made me think Was ir the THERE FIRST, AND HAS ABSENT. authentic MINDEDLY EATEN IT GOEBBELS PERSONAL so Had it been GOLDBEIS ann longer there SHORTBREAD, FOUND Short bread? would have been IN A TARTAN TIN, a possibility of IN A HAYLOFT, IN EAST KILBRIDE_ taking. It may throw light on the 100% beef bunker burgers of the Third Reich! Sorry! Humming and hawing Makes me so hungry. Exactly! Yet experts have confirmed that this is the Goebbels Yet paradoxically Goebbels often declared his distaste for shortbread! It is crumbs like these. the "Ud Flavia, that make 1861 before 28.5.83 History live! tartan! Sustain historians.

There's an asset floating in my tea like to propose he is then fired. Simpson: Seconded. I mem, look here, sir.



"Thieves who spent three hours breaking into an iron safe at a company Bristol found only some

tea bags and sugar" - The Times Monday. Chairman: I think you all know why I've called this meeting. Board: We certainly do, sir. Chairman: Anyone not know why I've called this meeting? Simpson: Yes, sir. I don't know Chairman: It's bout the safe, Simpson. You've heard about

Simpson: Yes, sir. But it's only a few tea bags and some sugar. I don't see why we need a board meeting to replace a few tea bags... Chairman:God give me streng-

th, Simpson. Let me explain it to you. When a safe is broken open and the thieves make off with tea and sugar, the question the firm has to ask itself is not, Shall we replace the tea and sugar? What is the question, Simpson? Simpson: Ummm .

wasn't there any milk in the Chairman: No. Simpson. the question is: Where has the money gone? Managing Director: Could you

perhaps explain the situation for us all, Chairman? Chairman: Certainly, Listen carefully, Simpson. Two days ago, there was £30,000 in that safe, but no tea and no sugar. When the thieves were caught, they had tea and sugar on them but no money, and they had no time to dispose of the money. Therefore the money had disappeared before the thieves arrived. Only people in this! room have access to that safe to Chambing prints to be safe to

MOREOVER... Miles Kington

wonder if anyone of you would like to say anything?
Managing Director: Perhaps it would help if we found out who put the tea and sugar in the safe. Chairman: Perhaps so. (Silence) Well I'm waiting.

Simpson: I've remembered Chairman: Yes, Simpson? Simpson: You remember the meeting we had on Monday?

When you asked for more efficiency and less time-wast-ing? And you said that people drank far too much tea around the place and that we could save both money and time if we only kept the tea under lock and key? Chairman: I'm still waiting, Simpson.

Simpson: I think what I'm trying to say, sir, is that I put the tea and sugar in the safe. I left the milk out because it might go off. Chairman: And you took the

money out? Simpson: Yes, sir, Well, I thought that anyone going in there for a teahag might be tempted by the sight of so much money.

Managing Director: Can you remember what you did with the money, Simpson? Simpson: Let me think. I swapped it.

Managing Director: Perhaps you could explain ... Simpson: I put the money in the tea caddy, sir. It stood to reason that anyone looking for tea would know it was in the safe now and would come for the

key. Chairman: You Put. The money. In the caddy. State on The Co

Berry, could you bring the lea

caddy in, please? No, I do not want a cup of tea! Just bring the caddy in, nice and gently.

Managing Director: I think it's only fair to say that without Simpson's prompt action, we would be £30,000 poorer.

Miss Berry (entering): Here's the caddy, sir. The money's quite safe in there, sir. I've been keeping an eye on it. (Leaves). Managing Director: So Pd like to propose a vote of thanks to

2 Spacious (5)

Darts scorer (7)

4 Treatment room (7)

Simpson. Chairman: Seconded. And Fd

pencils.
Simpson: Well, sir, you know the very big safe where we normally keep the secret designs? Well, sir . . .

lock away the pencils?

Chairman: Let me make a not

of that ... Why are there never

any blasted pencils when you

Simpson: Ah. Well, sir, do you remember the other day you said that people got through stationery at a scandalous late.

And that somebody ought to

Chairman: All right, Simpson Just tell us where you put the

need one?

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In Murdoch territory

The Philosopher's Pupil By Iris Murdoch

imagination - Murdoch Sound, and island perhaps. It is inhabited by a highly intelligent but also highly superstitious race who honour artists and magicians, and who engage in long ritual debates. They believe that in the pattern of the stars they may discern their destiny, although the meaning of that pattern is endlessly discussed Sometimes, in fact, the discussion ends in violence.

The Philospher's Pupil is set in the spa town of Ennistone, within commuting distance of London. Ennistone seems in the past to have been associated with primitive or unholy rituals. there is a druidic circle above which spaceships have been seen, and the waters of the town are reputed to have aphrodisiac properties - the Ennistonians hemselves occasionally become

the victims of "moral disorder"

and "irrational seizures". The

local priest is considered by his

bishop to be some kind of

"shaman" and the eponymous

Rozanov, is regarded by the

philosopher, John

him to be one magic redeems other we cannot attain in people from the ordinary between lies the moddle and muddle of their lives and the chaos from which we turn to novel begins with an account of magic religion for relief a terrible muddle. George "Salvation itself was magic McCaffrey, once the philosototal redemption by cosmic act pher's papil, is engaged in a of the whole visible world." (Chatto & Windus, £7.95)

This is Iris Murdoch's twenty first novel; each one has contained a tiny but elaborate community so that now, after almost thirty years, she has created a small country of the contained a small country of of disorder which Miss Murdoch creates. When Stella disappears, most Ennistonians assume that George has mur-dered her. Certainly he thinks of himself as Caliban to the philosopher's Prospero – an unredeemed and unholy figure who seeks reassurance from

Rozanov which Rozanov will

not give. They are the poles of the narrative: two powerful men who use their power to others' hurt, and who become the agents for a series of intrigues and disasters. The philosopher is looking for "truth" but, in despair of finding it, becomes involved in the confused and dangerous world of which his isn't any deep structure in the world. At the bottom, which isn't very far down, it's all rubble, jumble." The only good or happy characters in this novel are children or animals the simplicity of innocence or instinct is the closest anyone can get, in fact, to the simplicity of absolute truth for which the philosopher is searching. But

Miss Mardoch's writing is continually interesting because it works on many levels at once and has a range which few other contemporary novelists possess. Passages of moral reflection are followed by demotic dialogue or by historical narrative, and long chapters of apparently realistic description can culminate in an expressly allegorical scene. She can create chaos and then allow it to disperse into a formal and

The Philosopher's Pupil is, in that sense, a moral fable in which the observable world is only one reality among others. Ennistone is a solidly real town - with its churches and canals and factories - but it is also an unreal place, built literally upon water. Her characters are composed in a naturalistic manner but they can become the vehicles for magical energy. And they can become devils also, fallen into the pit of ess or desperation. It is altogether a quirky and precarious world, which remains credible only because of Miss Murdoch's extraordinary intellectual control of her material.

Peter Ackroyd

The truth at the heart of the labyrinth

By Benjamin Tammuz Transhiped by Kim Parfitt & Mildred Buday (Enigma Books, £7.95)

The Crying Heart Tattoo

By David Martin (Enigma Books, £7.95)

A secret agent meets an unusually beautiful girl on a bus in a foreign city. They do not speak but she is the woman of whom he has always dreamed. Using the wiles of his vocation (for in his case it is precisely that) he finds out who she is and begins a courtship by letter. Fascinated by this ingly, seen, the girl replies: sometimes to a post-office box, at others hoarding her answers in a private collection. Their shared obsession grows over the years, enmeshing in its labyrinthine fatality two other people, enchanted by the young woman's beauty. To reveal more of this superbly made, beautifully written novel would be to cheat the reader of very real pleasure. There is violence, even tragedy, but there is also great delicacy of feeling – a sensitive compassion for all of the characters. The parallels with the Minoan myth are not laboured; nevertheless at the centre

scrupulous service to a remarkable and brilliant author. From the same publishers comes The

of the maze is the monster who is not

wholly bestial, whose yearning for the humanity he knows to be inside him is

almost too deep for tears. It is an entirely admirable fiction whose trans-

lators deserve high praise for their

Crying Heart Tattoo. Potential readers should not be put off by the unpromising title or the displeasing dust-jacket. The point of it all is gradually revealed in the course of an eccentric confessional novel of the kind which middle-aged American writers seem to manage with such effortless. lack of embarrassment. The central character, still known to the remnants of his family as Sonny, learns at the beginning of the book of the death of his life-long love, Felicity. Their association began when he was a teenager and she was a ripe thirty-two, making whatever efforts were in her husband, mentally and emotionally stricken by his war experience. She initiates the boy gently enough into sexual pleasure but does not seduce him until the eve of his first marriage. Although Sonny absents himself from Felicity for quite long periods during which they do not communicate, he returns to her at crucial moments in his life and on each of these occasions she relates to him a strange parable of herself in the persona of a primitive tribeswoman, Graveda: an imaginative and resilient woman's rationalization of her own self-destructive response to

If Felicity is a little crazy but warmly generous, Sonny is by no means admirable. The novel traces his development from a normal, innocent, rather nice boy into "the meanest, toughest, most selfish son-of-a-bitch who ever walked".

He is not quite that. Even in his quintagenarian decreptitude he retains a certain honesty and a genuine capacity for loving. And indeed the two

make them all the more convincing. The prose is lively and apt for all the author's various purposes. Apart from a somewhat vague mysticism (expounded by Felicity) towards the end of the novel, which David Martin rather scurries past as though not really convinced himself, the book is satisfying, entertaining and com-passionate, albeit a great deal more acrid than the tributes quoted on its

Lord of the Dance (Gollancz, £8.95) by Robin Lloyd-Jones won the Bookshelf/Arrow First Novel Compention. Not surprisingly. It is a picaresque novel, set in sixteenth-century India during the conquests of the Mogul emperor Akbar, of astonishing imaginative brilliance. Incident crowds upon incident, the prose is fluent and versatile, the central character is well-drawn but rather too superficial for what must be intended as a very serious novel. The descriptions are vivid - all too vivid! For the book is also repulsive: a relentless, pitiless chronicle of cruelty to man and beast. Hardly a page goes by without some hideous visitation of evil upon body or mind, as though the author had catalogued every malady, affliction, indignity, parasite, pestilence, violation and outrage that could asssail men and women and determinedly included them in his narrative alongside all the fouler functions of the human body. Worse: there is an element of pitchblack farce in some of the episodes which is noisome. No doubt the very serious purpose of the novel is a resounding bout of anger at the savageries of existence, the monstrous horrors inflicted upon people by the

vagaries of religion and superstition, the vile atrocity of absolute power, the bitter paradoxes of an allegedly benign creation. All this is suggested in the heavily ironic epigraph from which the novel takes its title. It would be unjust not to recognize a writer of considerable talent, but your reviewer has never been more relieved to close a book.

Naomi Mitchison's Not By Bread

Alone (Marion Boyars, £7.95) is a provocative novel of ideas, set in the future. As might be expected the convincing. Diligent and selfless biologists discover a way of improving plant performance which enables a vast multinational conglomerate to provide the entire world with Freefood. Military rivalries, ideological tensions are forgotten. Then things start going wrong and the latent poisons in the humble potato and the unassuming yam fructify too. The multinational hydra has as one of its heads an "Ideas" department, the implications of which in terms of mass communication must weigh upon all our thinking beings and some of our consciences. The ethical dilemmas are obvious and diligently explored. Unfortunately the quality of writing and the ferocity of characterization does not match the intellectual force and integrity of the book. The multinational board would have to be much more powerful than they are made to seem if they were to compete with the natural vanity and ambition of local, let alone international, politicians. And the central characters might achieve more impetus if they were not sizing themselves up in asides reminiscent of Enid Blyton.

Stuart Evans

Historical novels

The coloured past

fascination for the reader, and, as it turns out, the historian Could he possibly have been asblack as he was painted? Or was historical novels, and Joanna he as maligned as good king Trollope's The Steps of the Sun Macbeth by wicked Tudor (Hutchinson, £7.95) takes its Macbeth by wicked Tudor historians and playwrights, with historians and playwrights, with characters into the Boer War, a whole set of axes to grind? As usual with this author, the Certainly in recent years characters are themselves fresh, Josephine Tey, Rhoda Edwards alive and unhackneyed, set and Rosemary Hawley Jarman against familiar backgrounds, have set to with the whitewash Mathew Paget is a difficult, brush, and now here is an unconventional young man, American, Sharon K. Penman, sent down from Oxford after a with The Sunne in Splendom (Macmillan, £9.95) a very long book indeed, covering almost the whole of Richard's life.

writing this novel, and it make something of her with many characters, the most notable being the splendid elder brother King Edward, virile, handsome, irresistible, causing chaos by his marriage to a woman whose relatives were experts at the art of the double cross. Bloody and violent deaths, fearful betrayals by close relatives, dizzying shifts of power, astonishing battles Sharon Penman is peculiarly good at battles - the whole seems very convincing. Richard is the good man, loyal, honest, true to his brothers, and forced into acts of savagery only by the frightful circumstances attending them. There are quite possible alternatives for the deaths of Clarence, and the little princes, and Richard's very strange marriage to the widow of his enemy. Richard-freaks and open minds will enjoy it, anyone else may be driven to

Another blockbuster (historical novels are inclined to run to great thick books extending over centuries) is Reay Tannahill's A Dark and Distant Shore (Century, £8.95) a saga, as they are called, covering a mere 90 years of some pretty torrid goings-on, mostly over the wnership of property. In 1803 a rich grocer from

Glasgow buys a West Highland castle from its careless (and bankrupt) laird. For Mungo Telford, this is a dream of his ss boyhood come true. For Vilia Cameron, aged six, volume) is in paperback from daughter of the laird, it is the Fontana at £1.50. beginning of an obsession - to by crook. And she does.

are spent (with the son and daughter-in-law of Mungo Telford) growing up in London to be a beautiful young woman, who learns, and plots, and schemes, attended by Sorley McClure, a boy from Kinveil and her only link with the past. Her brief marriage to Andrew

Lauriston produces three sons, and there is a long running love affair with a brother-in-law. Add to this a progress through Victorian Industrial Revolution, some extremely odd happenings when almost every male heir to Kinveil meets a sudden and convenient death; and you have a rattling good yarn of considerable length and thickness, with the length and thickness, with the siege of Crimean. War, the siege of moving and entertaining story. Lucknow, and life in 19th moving and entertaining story, which is a lot of fun, though I which is a lot of fun, though I century America making guest ppearances in what turns out to be a full blown melodrama. I enjoyed it, though I didn't care for Vilia Cameron much, as girl

Richard III has an enduring or matriarch. But then a lot of people didn't care for Scarlett
O'Hara either.

Wars are always good for prank, a sad trial to his father the Archbishop. So is his sister Frances, an early feminist, and the beloved of their cousin, She has spent 12 years Will. Frances feels she must hadly wounded, and has his view of life destroyed by the horrors of his particular war, while Mathew finds, in the same war, a new life and personal happiness. An personal acquaintance met at Oxford; the cad (no other word for it) Hendon Bashford, a rich social climber of the worst kind from South Africa has a malign influence over the Paget family, cansing Mathew's departure from Oxford, and being in part responsible for Will's despair. Joanna Trollope is a most accomplished novelist, every book (this is her fifth) seems more enjoyable than the

> £8.50) is Bernard Cornwell's fourth book in the adventures of Richard Sharpe, risen from the ranks to fight in the Peninsular War. This time he has a cold and ruthless enemy in the handsome shape of Colonel Leroux. As usual, there are authentic touches to chill the blood, such as the "death room" for English soldiers in which the gravely wounded Sharpe finds himself, tended by the drunken Sergeant Connelly (a real historical character). The big battle here is Salamanca, and if Sharpe were just a thought more introspective and not quite such a tough, he could be to the Army what Hornblower was to the Navy. Sharpe's Company (the third

Sharpe's Sword

When is a historical novel recover her heritage, by hook or not historical? When it takes by crook. And she does place in my lifetime, is my Kinveil, like Scarlett view, but then Gwendoline O'Hara's Tara, is both a place and a dream. Vilia's early years \$48.95 is a most engaging canter. £8.95) is a most engaging canter through theatrical history from the 1920s to the recent past. The book begins with a great lady of the theatre, Alice May, being given a dinner at the Mansion House in Coronation year Daughter of an unsuccessful actress, deserted by her when still a child. Alice is left the derelict Albion theatre in London by a father she met only once, as he was on his way to his death in the trenches.

Disputed legacies, court scenes, theatrical triumphs and disasters in the years of Noel Coward and Gertrude Lawrence (both of whom appear) and a romance with her masterful cousin Matthew, whom she marries, and with whom she didn't believe a word of it.

Philippa Toomey further spart.



Early seventeenth-century composite horse from Deccani Painting, by Mark Zebrowski (Philip Wilson, £37.50). Such composite figures, and the tiny grotesques in the background of some Islamic paintings, derive from pre-Islamic animistic cults that were popular in Central Asia.

Crime

Death in khaki

Corporal Smithers, **Deceased** By Jack Scott

(Gollancz, £6.95)

It's not often I recon books for your guest-room bedside table. But here's some thing that, picked up by a visitor, is likely to be remembered for years. It's a small gem. This is not simply because of its unusual setting, a remote Army sub-depot in Yorkshire, though that's a background more than usually interesting, but because it has all sorts of other virtues as well. And its author's own background adds a aquant extra; until, latish in life, he began writing crime novels (he is also respons the increasingly well-done Inspector Rosher half-humarous police procedurals) he was Silver Johnny Gray, the Singing

He is now in his 60s, which makes all the more remarkable the splendid verisimilitude of his descriptions of present-day Army life. He has chosen as hero a very difficult character to bring off from the inside, a Company Sergeant Major of limited outlook but strong native intelligence, and through his eyes he gets right into that khaki life, even down to the tiny anacknowledged rituals of bar and barrack-room. But, beyo this, he succeeds most skilfully in varying the tone of his tale the robustly funny, through genuine excite yes, the tender. Move those bedside book-ends an meh

Elizabeth Ferrars (Collins, £6.50). Enter a world of deception, all the more quietly gripping for being contiguous with a very ordinary Home Counties setting.

Murder in the Title, by Simon Brett (Gollancz, £6,95). Very good on selfish-drunken actor-Paris; good on tatty provincial rep; after-thoughtish on murder. And funny too.

Amorous Leander, by Alan Hunter (Constable, £6.50). A Madame Bovary of the lower literary world among the sedges and sails of the Broads. Long time till the murder, though.

No Man's Island, by Jessica Mann (Macmillan, £6.50). U.D.I. and spy, spy, spy on well-invented mid-Atlantic island. Lots to ponder in a sadiydisjointed story. Splendid hero-ine of Funeral Sites reappears.

The Woman in Red, by Pauls Gosling (Macmillan, £6.95). sance in Spain. Slightly self-indulgent writing detracts from startling climactic reversal and insights into Spanish beneath the skin.

Treasure Preserved, by David Williams (Collins, £6.95). Merchant-banker hero seedy (and developable) South Coast resort. Leisurely, pace leaves time for humour, cluedropping, labyrinthine compli-

H.R.F. Keating

Poetry Ruffian Romantic

George Barker is seventy this year. That comes as bit of a surprise. I had always though he was going to die young - but then perhaps he will. There is a sense, after all, in which he has remained what Edwin Muir called him as long ago as 1939: £4.50) will already be known to "all poet of genius still at the anyone who cares for English unformed stage." The work in his Anno Domini (Faber, £4) is hardly that of a finished man, though the title piece does try for a kind of screnity:

at a time of bankers at a time of bankers
to exercise a little charity;
at a time of soldiers
to cultivate small gardens; Al a time of categorical imperatives to guess about clouds . . .

Barker, a sly if ruffian Romantic, has always been good at guessing about clouds. If in his older age he chooses to celebrate his ewn wisdom in the art of blame him? Anyway, he celebrates his fellow artists with an equal eloquence in a poem called "Elegy", and then (characteristically) in "The Ship of Fools" throws good cold salt water on the whole enterprise: O long and late we boozed and ate

and rogered at the game,

and if we had known what we know These three poems comprise the book and while none of them seems to me Barker at his best, none of them could have been written by anyone else. Here is a

speaks of a certain purity

preserved or achieved in both

these important organs. He is

also a generous and good-humoured writer. Put all these

qualities together, of course, and won have "Cider with

writer who needs to be his own worst enemy, prolific and uneven, a hit-or-miss artist. His contribution to contemporary English poetry has not yet been adequately valued. Norman Cameron used to say of Laurie Lee that even when he wasn't very good, he was always clean. The kind of cleanliness referred to resides, I think, in the eye and the heart. Lee's work, in verse and prose,

and you have Rosie" (1959).

biography, in which childhood is evoked with a rare skill for finding images that match its innocence and its evanescence. The finest things in Lee's Selected Poems (Andre Deutsch. verse at all, poems like "April Rise" and "Day of these Days":

Such a morning it is when love leans through geranium windows and calls with a cockerel's tongue over the rain-green grass.

and the sun drips honey.
When hedgegrows grow vent
berries dry black as blood, and holes suck in their bees. It is sad to observe that these

poems were written long ago, that there are no recent one cloud-guesswork, who can to compare with them, and to see Lee himself saying in his introductory note that he feels thay were "written by someone I once was and who is so distant to me now that I scarcely recognize him anymore." All the same, there is something to be said for a poet who has not tried to force a genuine but slight gift further than it will go. Geoffrey Hill's The Mystery of the Charity of Charles Pegus (Agenda Editions with Andre Deutsch, £3) is a longish poem written as a homage to one of the most interesting French writers of the last hundred years. Péguy's own verse has an idiosyncratic nobility in its reaching for the sublime. Hill does not seek to ape; this, but it is plainly not a million miles away from his own aspirations. The result does not tell me much about Peguy that I did not know, and I confess to finding something disappointing in Hill's determination to look into some one else's heart in order to write. Still, as an exercise in empathy it must be said that this has the merit of

matching a considerable talent

to an elevated subject, and the ambitiousness of the project is

certainly impressive. Robert Nye

Old lovers and old enemies

Fools of Fortune By William Trevor

(The Bodley Head, £7.50) tangle of love and hate in our ancient and continuing battlefield, where murder can be seen as a sacred duty, and love as a betrayal.

It is 1918. The only trouble in sight for eight-year-old Willie Quinton, son of a rich Protestant Anglo-Irish millowner somewhere in the south-west, near Cork, is that he may be sent away to his father's old in the shape of Michael Collins and the Black and Tans; and his idyllic world is broken by a shastly act of vengeance. Willie does what the men in his family have been doing for two centuries: he falls in love with

one of his English cousins. The novel tells the story of their love over the next 60 years down to the present. It is not an easy love, for destruction casts shadows from which there is no escape, particularly in Ireland. William Trevor interweaves past and present and future so cunningly that even unexpected shocks in the plot have an inevitable rightness once they.

have happened.

good at a child's-eye-view of the world. The story is told by three narrators: Willie, his English cousin (for four-fifths of the book while they are young), and Ireland and England are old a third child. It is marvellously lovers as well as old enemies. exact about memories of a This moving novel unravels a distant childhood, the terrors and joys of a boarding school, the horrors of a finishing school young ladies above Montreux.

It is a beautiful, affectionate and humorous, as well as a terrible story; and a pretty chilling one at that, for those who want to go fishing for allegories about the Anglo-Irish connexion. William Trevor at his best: for those who believe in the nonsense of racing books like grevhounds, it must be worth the Booker short-list at the very least.

Philip Howard

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Jolly non-boating weather, not forgetting the dog Three Men (not) in a Beat, and most of the time without a log, by Timothy Fun (Duckworth, 26.95): Jerome K. Jerome's classic was part of our childhood, handed down with Sherhock Heliues from father to sen as a talksman against home-sickness. Whether you can receptive the first fine careless rapture of its sally-ass, stiff-upper-lipped, hose-jawed humour is doubtful, but here is a sporting effort. The three friends set out to walk along Offic's Dyke. For the more at Hampton Court read the labyrinths of a multi-storey car park. For that the of pineapple, take in auditors, the phastiness of campa sites. It Hampton Court read the labyrinths of a multi-storey car park. For that the of pineapple, take in suddies, the phastiness of campa sites. Gentle reader, I have a confession to make. A very family thing kappened to us around suppertise that night. You get the idea?

Then there is the over-present threat of Welsh bards under canvas. It is all good cleans for of an undermanding sort, but then so were the original.

Monroe doctrine

The award-winning Iranian play-wright Gholam-Husain Saedi has been telling admirers at the Royal Court Theatre about the artist's lot under the Ayatoliah. He watched a Marilyn Monroe film on Tehran television, and where she had not been cut out of the film, a blob of ink was placed on her hair and another on her body. In the dubbing she was made to talk about Islam.

Mind you, Sacdi, who is a refugee in France has complaints about us. too. He says he suffered humiliating treatment on arrival at Dover, where the roof of his car was opened and its wheels removed. He was then asked for autographed copies of his Persian books "for translation by the police". Saedi says he could not help writing some rude remarks in the books as he signed them.

Making waves

The corridors of Westminster are littered now with photo-copies of pages from Robert Waller's Almanac of British Politics, which gives detailed descriptions of the new parliamentary constituencies. Most MPs are too mean to buy the book, but Robin Maxwell-Hyslop, Conservative MP for Tiverton. is in any case spreading scepticism about its accuracy. The description of Tiverton starts: "now the only constituency in Devon without a sea Not so, crows Maxwell-Hyslop. His constituency meets the sea at Starcross. And where, he demands to know, is Exeter's shoreline?

Travelling by Amtrak from New Haven to Boston, Professor Richard Cobb noticed opposite Old Saybrook station a case called Terminal Lunch, He could not test the claim, but if anyone else wants to try, the place is two stops before Mystic.

On the wet side

Fly-tieing classes are in progress at the House of Commons in prep-aration for the annual charity fishing match in Sussex on Sunday week when MPs challenge a team from the Salmon and Trout Association. The MPs will be led, as usual, by Sir Geoffrey Johnson Smith. His colleagues' fondest memory of last year's match is that the newly knighted Johnson Smith was persunded to attach a delicate light leader to his line. He then promptly hooked an overweight trout, which had him running up and down the bank as he tried to land it, crying: "I have no faith in my leader."

BARRY FANTONI



'Apparently the Swedish navy wanted to put in a bid but they couldn't locate it'

Guest of honour

Mrs PHS, touring the provinces, Mrs PHS, touring the provinces, tells me Lord Forte should have been well pleased when he visited his Albany Hotel in Glasgow vesterday. During her stay, in advance of his Lordship's arrival, feather dusters were flickering everywhere, all the glass was being everywhere. cleaned and polished, every plant reported, a totally new bed of shrubs was being planted in the forecourt. and the palm trees were being given manicures with nail scissors.

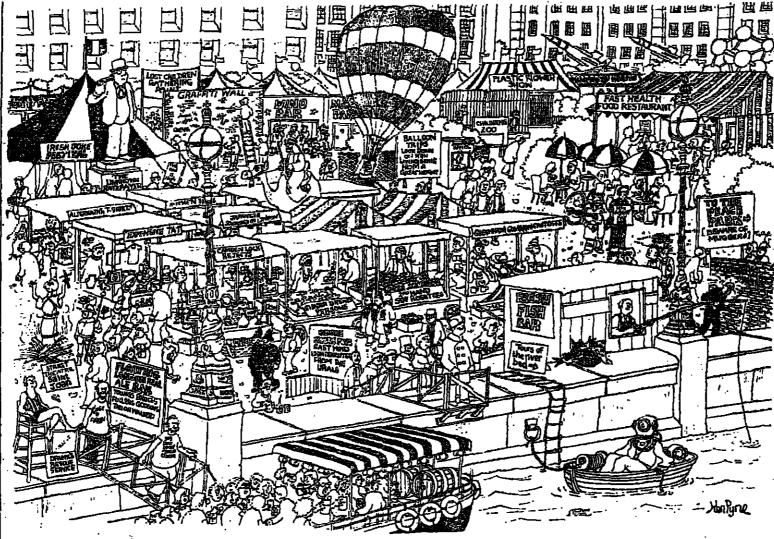
No cover-up

The smoke-detecting fire alarms in British Rail's new executive sleepers are giving trouble on the electrified London-Glasgow run, persistently sounding in the absence of combustion. It happened three times on Mrs PHS's journey to Glasgow: once before the train even left Euston, once at 1.30 am, and once at 5.30. The steward told her that a team of engineers were on the train in an attempt to catch the gremlins, which had previously caused as many as 22 talse alarms in one night. He also colleagues had removed covers so that they could silence the alarms more quickly. British Rail tell me that they are pleased that the alarms, installed after the Taunton fire tragedy of 1978, "should err on the



Motorists should not curse the crawling caravan ahead. The poor blighters

Route explains in its latest issue that the Club Road Map had been "slightly optimistic" showing some of London's orbital motorway, M25, as complete. On another page the magazine notes that members may be wondering why a club site is shown at Henley-on-Thames when none yet exists: "We were just too optimistic". On yet another page there is an apology because some copies of the club's sites directory "have one section missing and one section duplicated." If in doubt, En Route suggests, ring the East Grinstead information office.



A South Bank show that could run and run

The GLC has ordered a detailed study of ways to brighten up one of London's prime riverside sites. Simon Jenkins has some suggestions for the planners

people" do not drive cars - is here seen at us most senseless and confusing.

In between these monoliths are the spaces which now provide Mr Price with his opportunity. At present they are nothing but car parks, patches of grass and a sense of cosmic emptiness. They have seen much progressive wishful thinking: Sir Peter Hall of the National Theatre once wanted secondhand bookstalls (a safe sort of commerce) in front of his particular palace. Mr Livingstone has planted a ridiculous "peace park" in front of his. There are intermittent attempts at "street theatre". Skateboarders are chased out of the acres of concrete bunkers. Only the muggers have free rein the one group who can have no complaint about GLC landscape

design.
So what are Messrs Price, Banks and Livingstone going to do? Will two-fingers of ugliness to London about homelessness aesthetics. Like the Barbican Centre, and the needs of the local inhabitants (in this case mostly pigeons)? Will Tony Banks, the council's arts commissar, propose his palace of workers' culture, to become in due course another sad monument to the memory of the unknown ratepayer? Will they all complain that there is no money to do anything and turn away? The GLC has done that often enough since its unnecessary invention in 1965. Nothing suggests it has

Yet London in the last decade has

shown an impressive ability to do free of charge what the GLC has wasted a fortune failing to do on the South Bank. Covent Garden, Spitalfields, Portobello Road, Camden Lock, the new market streets of Shoreditch - all are proving that people and money for renewal will come to an area where the least amount of planning and regulation

is present.
What is essential is the ruthless exclusion of comprehensive redevelopment and modern building, and of the high initial rents associated with them. Blight, once regarded as the curse of the modern city, has become a valued preliminary to its salvation. "Non-conforming occupiers" and short-lease holders, the bane of the planner's life, supply precisely the informal economic activity which lies at the root of

most sensitive urban revival. The street market was once regarded as a dying London institution. It is now a recognized stimulus to the recovery of surrounding neighbourhoods (however much the residents may complain).

Only drastic measures along these lines will get people and activity back to the South Bank. It should be declared a "mini-enterprise zone". The entire site, from the County Hall car park - where left-wing councillors still gaily park their bourgeois cars - to the National Theatre, should be divided into small plots and auctioned on short

leases. The only restriction should be that no lessee be permitted more than one plot per sub-division and no structure be more than one storey

high. Subject to these limitations, plots could be bought and sold and put to any use whatsoever. Mr Price's architecture should be confined to the normal "site and service" functions of a Third-World shanty town: water points, toilets and perhaps a few low walls to supply ninal shelter supports.

The South Bank should become a neighbourhood of commercial informality. Its passages, caverns, arches, decks and open spaces should fill with people buying, selling, eating, living, entertaining, wandering, looking. If monuments are needed in city centres, here should be a monument to the small-scale entrepreneurial spirit which has always underpinned urban change. The South Bank may not possess the "trigger" of decrepit buildings, as at Covent Garden or Camden Lock, but it has a magnificent site. If a more powerful magnet is required, it should be one of aggressive popularity: not another concert hall, but a ferris wheel or a balloon ascent or a warship moored to the river bank.

Such a South Bank would be though who are we to say - part fleamarket, part workshop, part tourist trap: a den of pleasure and doubtless a den of vice.

A jungle of huts, sheds and stalls would spread across the site, creeping up the stairways and decks and encasing and softening the great lumps of modern architecture and

Such a solution would offer London a rare instance of the philosophy of the free market existing happily alonside that of small-is-beautiful populism. Heaven knows, the place would be stuffed with "workers". It would be capitalism hand in hand with communality: Mrs Thatcher, dare one imagine it, with Mr Livingstone.

What is more, unlike every other solution for this benighted area, this one would cost no public money and if it did not work it would not matter, we could all return to square

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Ronald Butt

Polling day and the Stuttgart factor

Williamsburg summit between May 28 and May 30 as a determining point of reference. Does this fixture inhibit an election early in June (say, June 9 or 16) on the grounds that it would not do for Mrs Thatcher to be out of the country, even for three days, in the middle of the campaign? Or could it provide a world stage on which she could stride, super-televised, just when such publicity could be most useful?

The usefulness of the publicity I do not doubt. But it is hard to believe that she could be so far away from the daily skirmishing which can so easily turn into the sort of major engagement that goes wrong if the commander-in-chief is not there

to take charge.

If, therefore, the election is in June at all (which even now begs a few questions) and assuming Mrs Thatcher goes to Williamsburg, polling day could not sensibly be before June 23, which would allow the full three weeks' campaigning after her return with whatever trophies she can bring back. But many Conservatives believe she would not delay a June election beyond June 16 - in which case it must at least be a question whether she could go to Williamsburg at all.

Mrs Thatcher, however, has another overseas engagement which has a far closer relationship to the election campaign, but to which curiously little attention has been paid. On June 6-7 she is due to be in Stuttgart at the EEC summit at which she expects the final settlement of Britain's budget rebate, which was promised in March. She would also like at least some evidence of a start on the long-term restructuring of EEC finances, though Whitehall is not worried by the prediction of M Gaston Thorn. president of the European Commission, that, if there is no longerterm settlement, a crisis at Stuttgart could hold up Britain's 1983 budget settlement. M Thorn is considered to be a little alarmist on the subject because the Commission urgently wants to precipitate long-term

reforms. But what does Stuttgart tell us about the precise date of the election if it is held in June, or about whether June is a more sensible month than October for holding it? By analogy with Williamsburg, strict logic might suggest that if Mrs Thatcher is in Germany on June 6-7, the election should not be until June 30, which strikes me as getting unsuitably late in the summer season.

Strict logic, however, need not apply. If the election were on June 23, Mrs Thatcher could much more easily keep an eye on it from Stuttgart (where she would at least be virtually in the same time-zone) than would be possible were she at Williamsburg. A one-day visit would be enough. Above all, she would be engaged at Stuttgart on questions vitally affecting one of the most important election issues: do we stav in the Common Market with the Conservatives or leave it with

In a hung parliament, a Tory-Alliance coalition would enable us to stay in, but the electoral arithmetic that might bring this about carries more risks of making Mr Foot prime minister than most pro-Europeans care to contemplate and that goes also for the heads of other member governments.

When they meet Mrs Thatcher at Stuttgart, they will be faced with a prime minister unambiguously committed to EEC membership who is on the brink (perhaps in the

Those who look into Mrs Thatcher's diary for signs for and against a June general election tend to take the Williamsburg summit between May with the Common Market.

It does not necessarily follow from President Mitterrand's socialism that he wants Mr Foot in power. Mr Foot is a nuclear disarmer whose view of the Soviet Union is subliminally conditioned by the old slogan; no enemies on the left. But M Mitterrand went to Bonn to address the Bundestag on nuclear disarmament in support of Chancellor Kohl and in a sense distinctly unhelpful to the Social Democrats during the German election cam-

There have also been subtle shifts There have also been subtle shifts in the Franco-British-German relationship. Mrs Thatcher has already met Herr Kohl four times; they get on well and see eye to eye. This contrasts with her old uneasy relationship with Helmut Schmidt and is matched with an increasing tendency for the Germans and French to differ – on economic policy, for instance, and on free trade versus protectionism. trade versus protectionism.

None of this alters the fact that the Franco-German relationship is the axle of the Community. Yet there is a sense in which the three countries also look increasingly like a triangle. There are more bilateral Angio-French talks as well as closer Anglo-German accord. Mrs Thatch-er and President Mitterrand tend to agree about foreign policy.

There is no evidence that President Mitterrand does not want Mr Foot in power, but there is also no evidence that he does. Herr Kohl certainly does not. They will act accordingly in the matter of the EEC budget at least. As for the longer term budget restructuring, there is scepticism in London about whether at Stuttgart this will go beyond procedural arrangements. The argument is complex. There are those (the French, Italians and Greeks) who think the Community needs more money. If (which the British and Germans doubt) this is right, is it to be raised by means that would be neutral between states (higher VAT for instance) or in some biased way which makes some pay more than others?

Already the British and Germans consider they pay a disproportionate amount of the budget and want their grievances dealt with. Then, should the cost of the agricultural policy be controlled - and if so, how? These things are too complex to be settled at Stuttgart but the tone there could be electorally very important for Mrs Thatcher. The good men at Stuttgart will doubtless come to the aid of her party.

Certainly a June election would allow Mrs Thatcher to be seen winning concessions for Britain during the campaign. The European Commissioners also favour June because they want a pro-EEC British government quickly re-established so that they can proceed with their

The arguments are not, however, conclusive. Stuttgart could also provide a stage on which Mr Foot could play as big a part as Mrs Thatcher, even if she gets what she wants, since it focuses on a campaign issue that could suit him more than her to stress. By October, on the other hand, she will have won her concessions but the broader argument over the EEC will have fallen into the background. If it is a question of choosing between one month and another, Stuttgart could be taken equally strongly as assisting the case for October.

Political rules can change

Off we go to the South Bank again. Now that the GLC is launching another attempt to take civilization

to the frozen wastes of Lambeth, architects have been harnessed to

the sleigh, with the eccentric Cedric

Price in the lead. Ken Livingstone and Tony Banks of County Hall are ready to cry "Left". The usual

obstacles – planners, lawyers, ac-

countants, government inspectors - are in place to say "Not yet" or "But

wait". The enterprise has been given

six months to show what could be

done. After that, it will abort.

The South Bank needs no

introduction. It was cleared to be the

site for the 1951 Festival of Britain.

Since then it has been an all-too-public museum of how British

architecture and planning have failed to answer the challenge of

urban renewal. Ironically only a few

hundred yards north, in Covent

Garden, conservation and the

private sector (initially daggers-drawn with the GLC) have met and

Meanwhile, the old Dome of

Discovery site stands as it did on the

day of demolition a third of a

century ago. The famous east wind, "uninterrupted from the Urals."

blows across it, bringing echoes of

Stalin's free-fire-zone approach to

urban design. Beyond, London's cultural Hindu Kush - the Festival Hall, the Hayward Gallery and the

National Theatre - carries the

horizon east, towards the City, By

day, only summer sun brings a sprinkling of people to their slopes.

At night, visitors scurry across

Waterloo Bridge to their auditoria

before retreating to suburbs and

Home Counties.

The Hayward Gallery was designed by the GLC as a deliberate

such a structure would have been impeachable conduct in any pro-

fession more sensitive about its

public image than architecture. Only Denys Lasdun's National Theatre

has at least a sculptural sophisti-

cation, though planning has forced it

hesitantly back from the river as if

unsure of its relationship with mother earth. As at the Barbican.

the pedestrian decking which has

been the left's main contribution to

urban planning - because "the

overcome that challenge.

A senior Jesuit priest from Central America was summoned to Rome for a private audience with Pope John Paul II. For half an hour, so the story goes, he sat in silence. listening to the stern ticking-off for allowing priests under his jurisdic-tion to engage in politics. But for the next half an hour, he explained the situation in detail, how the line between preaching and politics in the turmoil of Central America had to be drawn again daily, how the Nicaraguan revolutionary govern-ment was only held back from Cuban style Marxism by the presence of priests in the Cabinet, and how each side perpetually denied the church any neutral nonpolitical middle ground on which to stand. And the Pope was convinced.

and gave his blessing.
Or so it is said. It is also said in politically conscious Roman Catholic circles, somewhat cynically, that the Pope's policy is: "The church must not engage in politics (except in Poland)." All things considered. the papal line on church and politics is not precise: Cardinal Hume, faced with his predicament over Mgr Bruce Keni and the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament, has to feel

his own way. In the United States, the Roman Catholic Conference of Bishops came under a barrage of angry criticism from the White House, the Pentagon, and right-wing Roman Catholic congressmen for threatening to denounce American nuclear policy as immoral. The most telling criticism came from some of their own laity, who argued that the bishops were going too far into making practical or political judgments in which they had

competence as churchmen. In the latest draft of the bishops'



statement on the issue, these criticisms seem to have been heeded, and the line redrawn, more narrowly, Before they did so. however, it was seriously suggested that the United States Navy might have to start questioning its Roman Catholic missile submarine captains. to see if they would obey orders to launch their weapons. More than half the American armed forced are said to be Roman Catholics: the Pentagon was understandably alarmed at the way things were developing.

Yet 10 years ago there was a Roman Catholic priest who was a congressman and staunch supporter of President Nixon, for whom he was known to have drafted speeches. There was no outcry then. And further back than that there were the draft card-burning Berrigan brothers early leaders of the anti-Vietnam war movement and both priests of the Roman Catholic Church. They in turn could point to the late Cardinal Speliman, who urged America into the Vietnam mess in the first place as part of his obsessive anti-communism. In those days, political action by Roman Catholic clerics was almost

invariably on the right hand side of the issue, whatever it was. In 1983, it

is equally almost invariably on the left. The theology of liberation, as practised in Latin America, maintains that there never was any neutral ground, to be "apolitical" was necessarily to be right-wing. The church and its hierarchy, according to this extremely influential theory, has no choice but to become the voice of the poor and oppressed against the rich and mighty. The church is thus political to its very soul. But that is not the papal line. The three priestly cabinet ministers in Nicaragua were obliged to agree. at the Vatican's insistence, that they should refrain from celebrating mass, publicly or privately, while they remained in the government. The uncertainty in the church's

mind was well illustrated by a strange incident in Scotland during the papal visit last year. The official text of his address to clergy, released in advance, had the Pope declaring "In your service to the human family you must take care not to confuse the regnum dei with the regnum hominis, as if political, social, and economic liberation were the same as salvation in Jesus Christ." But this interesting statement was not uttered; the Pope seems to have struck it out at the very last minute. And it is not



Mgr Bruce Kent with fellow CND supporters at the big anticruise rally at Burghfield at Easter and (above) Cardinal Hume, who has expressed "serious misglvings" about his close association with the movement. But how accurately does the Cardinal reflect the Pope's view of a priest's egitimate vocation?

irrelevant to the present situation that he ended the same address with a ringing prayer. "From nuclear war. from incalculable self-destruction, from every kind of war, deliver

If this is the Pope's prayer, this is also presumably a legitimate vo-cation for a priest such as Mgr Bruce Kent. No one will say where the line is to be drawn, or even what clear principles are to be applied. What has not been challenged in this rapidly evolving theology of the relationship between the regnum dei and the regnum hominis, however, is the principle that a priest cannot separate himself from the church, as represented by his bishop.

Unknown in the Roman Catholic Church is the kind of freelance freedom enjoyed by someone like the late Canon John Collins to take up whatever political causes moved him, without reference to the Anglican hierarchy. It is the sense of discipline in the Roman Church over its priests which denies that church the luxury of standing back, and forces it to face such complex dilemmas as the case of Mgr Kent.

Clifford Longley

Ian Bradley

Just don't touch it. that's all I ask

Only the most perceptive or inquisitive guest at the Station Hotel in Inverness could be aware of the dramatic change of ownership which has taken place in the last few weeks. The bedspreads and bathmats still proudly display the initials of British Transport Hotels. of which it was for so long the most northerly outpost; the spoons in the dining room still bear the unmistakeable insignia of British Rail; and the silverware of the old Highland Railway is still on show in the cocktail bar.

It is true that the name of the previous owners has been deleted from the foot of the bill. But there is no mention there of the new owners, the three Virani brothers, who acquired the inverness hotel along with the station hotels at Perth, Aberdeen, Glasgow Central, New-castle, Hull and Peterborough and the Manor House Hotel in Moretonhampstead. Devon, in the great sale of British Rail's hotel chain earlier

this year. At a time when more and more of the moors and glens of Scotland are falling into the hands of Arab and Dutch investors, few eyebrows have been raised at this Ugandan Asian takeover in the capital of the Highlands. I hope the new owners will not think it an impertinence if I make one plea to them on behalf of all romantics and rail travellers throughout Britain. It is that in the case of the inverness hotel they set aside all their thoughts of improvement and modernization and leave the place exactly as it is, a unique relic of the golden age of railway hotels

Porters may no longer meet the London trains, or omnibuses the Loch Ness steamers, as they did before the war, but in most other respects the hotel is much as it was in the days when, to quote from an old brochure, it was "patronised by members of the Royal Family and by most of the nobility of Europe". Religious Affairs Correspondent You can still breakfast off porridge

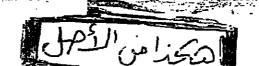
and hippers in the dining room after descending from the night sleeper from Euston. You can still stop your bath water from draining away with an extraordinary, and very effective, Victorian contraption which resembles a prisoner's ball and chain.

And you can still escape from the upper corridors down a rusting wrought iron fire escape to the platform of the station itself, from where, if the blaze were particularly especially strong, you could soon be on your way to Kyle of Lochalsh or the most northerly extremities of the British mainland

Inverness has the distinctive features of the great Victorian railway hotels, from pigeon drop-pings on the windowsills, dis-coloured bath-water, clashing floral wallpapers, stained glass windows and potted plants in the corridors. The bedrooms have those solid. reassuring old-fashioned accounte-ments like mahogany wardrobes, proper towel bathmats and bowls of dried flowers on the dressing table that you don't find in modern

So please, Virani brothers, don't repaint those bilious lemon yellow walls on the upper corridors, or replace the shocking pink lamp-shades which stick out from the wall behind the great staircase. Don't throw out the wickerwork chairs in the entrance lobby which look as though they were salvaged from the state room of the Titanic. And whatever you do please don't get rid of the map of Scotland near the entrance porch which dates from the BR's heyday and shows everything except the railway lines.

Leave the Station Hotel, Inverness, as a retreat, shabby and seedy as it may be, where some of us may still go and dream of steam, and trains to Strathpeffer, and single malts after high tea in the griddle



مِكَدًا من الاصل

the system

From Mr Peter Mason

Sir, I fear your second leader of

April 23 mistakes both the intention

and the argument of my booklet on

private education in the EEC. The

aim of the booklet is primarily

descriptive, and the introduction

draws attention to some of the main

differences in the development of

education in the UK and the rest of

Europe as a warning against facile

comparisons of size or pattern between systems which have devel-

oped on different lines. It highlights

in particular those which concern

the role and status of church schools.

As your leader points out, my statistics show clearly that in Europe

there is a preponderance of con-fessional schools in the private sectors of education. There is no

doubt that the protection of freedom

and choice written into the consti-

tutions of the countries concerned

owes much to their influence and

authority.
It is no less true, however, as the

country studies show, that more

recently the confessional schools in most European countries have

attracted increasing numbers of

parents who are not deeply commit-

ted to a particular faith but see in the

schools a kind of disciplined

education they prefer; that at the same time there has been a marked

growth of lay schools, many of them

committed to philosophies of education like those of Steiner,

Montessori and Decroly and loosely

described as "free schools"; and that these, like the confessional schools,

are open to children from all kinds

of home background with the help of

There is common agreement in

most EEC countries that a healthy

private sector, encouraged by sub-

sidies designed to prevent social discrimination, is an essential factor

in the preservation of freedom and

diversity in what are increasingly

pluralistic societies. Denmark is a

shining example of how this may be

achieved by liberal legislation

liberally administered and sup-

ported by popular consent, and her

system demonstrates that support

from state funds need not imply

significant loss of autonomy. I

would argue that here is something

we in Great Britain cannot afford to

Independent Schools Information

Service, National Research Project,

Lesson of the 1930s

Sir, As Professor Lord Kaldor (April

21) well knows, the effects of

protection are not confined to

protected industries. Steel users were

put at a disadvantage, and Britain's

share of exports in general fell outside the area of Imperial Preference and bilateral agreements.

in 1932 only 8 per cent of Britain's

imports were subject to duties of

over 20 per cent, and on average Britain's tariffs are usually held to

have been lighter than those of other

countries whose total output re-covered less rapidly. (The increase in the steel tariff to 50 per cent in

1935, to which Lord Kaldor refers,

was only temporary, a bargaining

weapon used against the European

The basic point originally made by Mr Butt (feature, March 17) was

that the upturn arose largely in the

domestic economy and in the private sector before rearmament.

Exports fell more than imports, and after 1930 Britain had a current account surplus only in 1935; but

that was merely a quarter of the

would have been a little worse but for protection, Mr Butt's point still

Even if our balance of payments

steel cartel.)

1929 figure.

Yours faithfully,

HAROLD ROSE

Group Economic Adviser,

Message of 'Gandhi'

Sir, The film is not for me. I prefer

my memories of those Lucknow

patrols during Gandhi's civil dis-

obedience campaign. 115F or more

in the shade (if one found any). I

knew the Mahatma well enough. He

brought on more prickly heat than

did anyone else in those, now, far off

From Major J. P. McKeone

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April 21.

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NANNY ON THE WIRE

When it first dawned on the public, only a couple of years ago, that the constriction of television channels which has for nearly two generations made necessary the regulated monopolies of the BBC and ITV might soon end, giving place to a situation where no technological obstacle existed to an almost unlimited output of different programmes, there was much excited talk of a new era in which television could become as free to the play of market and intellectual forces as the press is today. It was at once an exhilarating and an alarming prospect. Vested interests began at once to issue warnings that liberty would mean licence, more would mean worse, and Gresham's Law would ravage the air-waves. As usual, familiarity has trimmed the more extreme hopes as well as fears. and today's White Paper, closely following the recommendations of last year's Hunt report, proposes a cautious and familiar framework which should command broad assent.

It is economics which seems likely to prevent cable from quickly attaining the full free-

ingly profitable, it may be years to half the population. Given that constraint, there is less of a case for imposing on the entrepeneur any greater apparatus of control than that provided generally by the laws of slander, trade description and obscenity.

Perhaps initially some form of regulation in the public interest may be unavoidable in view of the Home Office obsession with these forms. Eventually, with the advent of satellite TV and the completion of the cable network, a free-for-all can be envisaged where the imposition of special controls should become unnecessary - and indeed, through sheer weight of material, imprac-

But the regulation should be the lightest that can do the job. Oversight comparable to that exercised by the IBA and BBC, and similar obligations as to public service, would be too much. So long as BBC and ITV are available - and it is intended that all cable services should carry the full schedules of both the other channels need be less dom, such as it is, of the paper burdened with responsibility.

press. Unless it proves exceed- There is of course a danger that a new deluge of trash may lure before it becomes accessible even audiences away from the older channels and tempt them to compromise their own standards. The present quality of our broadcasting system is exceptional in the world, and deserves to be safeguarded when the conditions which moulded our present system are about to disappear.

These fears are particularly

associated with the possibility that cable promoters could secure exclusive rights to major sporting events, or fill their channels with soft pornography or with old rubbish available for next to nothing from "vast archives" in the USA. Hunt proposed measures to minimise hese three risks, and the White Paper strengthens them. It adds provisions to help ITV compete on equal terms with channels making comparable use of advertisements. Given these safeguards, the existing networks should be able to sustain their standards unless they lose the will to do so. If anything, indeed, the system now proposed leans too much towards nannyism and not enough towards laisser-faire.

HAVE PENSION, WILL TRAVEL

and complicated subject. There have in recent years been several changes in the system of state pensions and also in the regulations affecting the private sector. But many anomalies remain. One of the most important is that early leavers from a pension fund contracted out the state scheme suffer a serious loss of pension expectations.

The difficulty was recognised in the Occupational Pensions Board report on Early Leavers in June 1981. It said that "two changes of employment in a lifetime can reduce a person's pension rights by more than a halt, despite his having been a member of equally good occupational pension schemes in each employment". The problem anses because pension entitlement is related to final year income in each employment and, in an inflationary environment, the real value of that final year income is continually falling. The drastic loss of pension rights mentioned in the OPB carnings growth of 15 per cent, roughly the average rate in Britain in the 1970s.

One answer, favoured by the OPB in its report, would be to oblige pension funds to revalue the preserved pension rights of early leavers. But this would, in certain circumstances, impose a serious strain on company finances since the employer would be expected to eliminate any deficiency in pension fund

A much neater and simpler, but also more radical, solution is proposed by the Centre of Policy Studies in a study published vesterday. This points out that the self-employed, who can deduct 171/2 per cent of net

Pension provision is an emotive income to build up retirement hand, if an individual maintains savings, are in a privileged position compared to those in pensionable employment. The self-employed carry their pension "pot" around with them, no matter how often they change the nature of their work activities. The Centre recommends that everyone, including people who now as a matter of course join an occupational scheme, should have the option to save for retirement as if they were self-employed. Employees who made this choice would have a portable pension which they could take with them whenever they moved jobs.

This proposal has several advantages. There would be an obvious improvement in labour market mobility since anyone with a portable pension would not need to worry about the loss of pension expectations at present associated with job changes. The argument may become of increasing relevance if the upturn in the economy becomes more vigorous and wellefficient high-productive companies were unable to expand because badly-designed pension arrangements hampered them in recruiting workers from inefficient low-productivity

rivals. But portable pensions can contribute more than a straightforward improvement in economic efficiency. There are wider and more interesting political attractions to the idea. The entitlement to pension rights in a company scheme is not direct ownership, but ownership at second hand, and does not encourage identification with the assets held by the scheme or with the success of the industries in relevant earnings from taxable which it invests. On the other

a clear personal stake in his retirement savings he is likely to be very concerned about their investment performance. He will also be more conscious of the merits of private property as an institution and more hostile to the threat of government direction of savings flows than if he belongs to a group scheme.

The portable pensions proposal would not be particularly disruptive. The number of people who would take up the option to save for retirement on their own account would probably not be very great in the first year or two. It is quite possible that in the course of a generation portable pensions would become more common than membership an occupational pension scheme. But the change would be so gradual as to be consistent with the preference for evolution over revolution expressed by the OPB in its 1981 report.

The amount of money now being set aside for pensions is large. Last year the acquisition of assets by self-administered penmonths. It would be unfortunate sion funds was £6,800m and substantial further pension fund contributions were made for management by insurance companies. Although these sums are being saved on behalf of almost twelve million people in occupational pension schemes, most of the beneficiaries have only a weak sense of ownership in the underlying assets. Yet they may be well aware that transferring to another, possibly better-paid job might be expensive because of a deterioration in pension prospects. The case for granting everyone, and not just the selfemployed, the choice of having his own portable pension is compelling and should be considered very seriously by the Government

A WHOLE WORLD IN HIS HANDS

It is unusual in our musical life analysts at these concerts, in the analyst as original as Brendel to that a series of piano recitals should attract particular attention. Recitals come and go, and unless there is a Callas to draw the crowds, we tend to pay more attention to the new operatic productions, ballet premieres or symphony concerts with star conductors, for these are heavily

publicized and widely discussed. But Alfred Brendel's recitals of the complete Beethoven Piano Sonatas, which began earlier this season and ended last night at the Oueen Elizabeth Hall in London, have made a unique impression. It may be illusory, but it seems as if the intellectual musical life of the city has been concentrated for a brief span into this re-creation of Beethoven's exploration of the human condition. We have observed tamous poets, writers, administrators, historians, as well as musicians, critics and musical

CABs and politics

advisers at the local level.

From the Chairman of the Greater

London Citizens Advice Bureaux

Sir, I welcome John Ross's letter of

April 20 about the Citizens' Advice

Bureaux, in which he stated that he

would hate to see our organisation

smeared or denigrated and in which

he praised the devoted work of

Unfortunately he then went on to

denigrate and smear those of us who

run the Greater London service by

accusing us of making the CAB a

campaigning organisation and turn-

ing it into a vehicle for political evangelism. Nothing could be

midst of rapt capacity audiences: their presence is doubtless of small comfort to the hundreds of the air of intense expectation has been unmistakable.

Brendel has rewarded that expectation with a completeness that few pianists of today can approach. It is not that his touch is finer, the sounds he produces more beautiful, or his pedalling more subtle than that of other pianists: indeed on all these counts he could be surpassed. But his grasp of the issues at stake in the music is incompar-

Under Brendel's hands, a Beethovenian modulation can suddenly have something of the startling effect it must have created nearly two centuries ago. That is no accident it takes an

sible manner. We in London, in the

last two years, have submitted

detailed reports based on bureaux'

day-to-day experience to the minis-ters of housing, energy, home affairs

and social security on a number of

We have always been thanked for

our information and comments and

carefully listened to. In some

instances we have been asked to

provide further information. In no

instances has it been suggested that

John Ross argues that dedication

to the client should be paramount. I

agree. The major drive of our work

in London will always be advising

the individual clients who come to

bureaux. There are nearly one

million a year of them in London.

But are we acting in these clients' best interests if we do not feed back

their experiences to government and

suggest changes that would benefit

we were acting improperly.

matters.

work out why a surprise is surprising, and a pianist as skilful as Brendel to re-create music-lovers turned away, but precisely the context in which our ears - sullied by the far more flamboyant surprises of a Berlioz or a Wagner - can recapture the full force of Beethoven's originality.

Brendel could not achieve this if he were only an intellectual: the emotional response is fundamental. Time and again in this series, it has been Beethoven's continuing originality that has struck our ears. The extraordinary, at times almost incoherent musical language of his late piano sonatas has become translated, through Brendel's supreme imagination, into a document of intelligible experience. Such an achievement should give a massive hope for the future understanding of music which now baffles or repels us.

them? We would be wasting public money if we did not do so.

Yours faithfully, SUSAN MARSDEN-SMEDLEY, Chairman, Greater London Citizens Advice Bureaux Service, 30 Wellington Street, WC2.

Eating squirrels

Greystones, Wrotham.

From Mrs Valerie Dagger Sir, Professor Hewer (April 23) is not alone in his appreciation of the meat of the squirrel. Last summer, in the Aveyron department of France, our farmer friend M. Alaux, assured us that the squirrel is la plus fine des viandes. He held gumea pigs also in high esteem and reared them expressly for the table. It appears that they are difficult to skin, but worth the trouble. Yours faithfully, VALERIE DAGGER,

Education outside Hitler diaries: the rights and wrongs

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

As I was a member of the British

division which liberated Belsen, the

Chief Rabbi will understand that I

do not write without sympathy for

his emotion. And emotion quite

rightly lies at the heart of all human

response to the world as it is, or was. But this should not obscure or

disguise the equally fundamental

truism that man's head for objective

and historical knowledge, imperfect

though it may be, is one of the roots

Sir, In June and July 1945, whilst serving with the GSI (b) 8 Corps, in Plon. Schleswig Holstein, we dis-covered a bricked up room which had served as a repository and

archive for Gauletter Lohse, in the

Schloss in Plon.
I was detailed to sift through the

many thousands of letters and

documents for anything of historical value, or possibly of war crime

friend of Hitler's for many decades and there was much personal

correspondence between them, apart

in 1944 when Lohse left Riga, where he had been Reichs Kommissar.

in a personal vein from Hitler to Lohse, dating from 1932-1944, none

of which had any handwriting on them; they were all nearly typed on

very good quality paper and signed with Hitler's signature. The reproduction of Hitler's

diaries, as per The Sunday Times and Stern, look distinctly laboured and unreal. I am not an expert in

handwriting, but consider the feel of

this production as fraudulent,

judging from the extracts as shown

Sir, Sixty identical, black exercise books? It does seem rather a large one-off purchase for individual

Did Hitler's astrologists assure

him he'd have much about which to

write? Was a "large order" discount

involved? Perhaps, over his 13-plus years of global activity, he just always shopped at his local station-

It was fortunate that the stationers

never ran out stock - or perhaps this explains the odd missing months?

thus far.

ers?

Yours faithfully,

Didsbury,

Manchester

BRUCE CHERRY,

9 Gillbrook Road.

Yours faithfully,

JOHN J. MARKS,

1 Cottenham Place, SW20.

From Mr Bruce Cherry

The correspondence terminated

I personally saw some 300 letters

from the official correspondence.

Gauleiter Lohse was a personal

of his claim to civilised existence.

Yours faithfully,

ROGER GRAY.

Queen Elizabeth Building, Temple, EC4.

From Mr John J. Marks

From Mr James Mitchell Sir, Times Newspapers are absol-

utely right in their decision to postpone further publication of the supposed Hitler diaries pending

further proofs of authenticity.

Having myself become involved as a young editor in the Thomson Group's urgent attempt 15 years ago to test the authenticity of the then purported Mussolini diaries prior to publication, I know just how agonising and confusing such publishing decisions can be in the heady and tempting atmosphere of a possible scoop of a lifetime.

The first reaction is disbelief: then there is the overwhelming temptation to believe against all the odds, both by scholarly advisers and publishing management. But in the end authenticity, together with the best of historical value, must be the deciding factors. I cannot see that Lord Dacre or Times Newspapers can be held to blame for having put much of a foot wrong so far.

Although I believe the Chief Rabbi (April 26) is right - the test of the diaries' historical contribution is a deeper issue than that of their authenticity, and the content that we have so far been privileged to read is indeed dismal and uneventful stuff would urge the board of Times Newspapers not to overreact to his somewhat intemperate attack. They should look beneath his anger and invective (justified though he may surely be) at his central point: what do these new Hitler diaries, even if true, really contribute new to humanity or to knowledge?

There was nothing new in the trivial Mussolini forgeries. If there is anything genuinely new in the Hitler resource, then let this be sified out by scholars, shorn of its drivel and abuse, and condensed into one short article or short book for popular international publication.

Then let a photocopy of the originals be kept by the West German Government for scholars to consult. And after that let the originals be burnt. As a bookburner himself, Hitler should regard that as the fairest of fair treatments. Ashes are the ultimate answer. Yours faithfully,

JAMES MITCHELL, Chairman, The Mitchell Beazley Group, Mill House, 87-89 Shaftesbury Avenue, W1.

From Mr Roger Gray, QC Sir, The Chief Rabbi protests too

In the authenticity or otherwise of the Hitler diaries, we are not concerned with good or evil, except in the lessons to be learnt from men's activities over the centuries. Historical truth is the only yardstick by which we can judge our forebears and seek to develop our future.

It is quite ridiculous to suggest that in the case of one madman who exterminated Jews, we should try to prevent research into his motives or

Breath-test doubts

From Mr K. Borer

Sir, As an independent forensic scientist, I note with some concern that the new breath-testing machines are in principle scientifically unsound in that the analytical sample is taken from the body through the same orifice as alcohol has gone in. These machines are being used to test for microgram amounts of alcohol in the breath when gram quantities of alcohol have been taken through the mouth in the

Under the old system of blood or urine samples to back up the breathalyser this problem was not as serious. With the new system, defendants must rely entirely on the minumum 20-minute wait between the last drink and first police test being long enough. My experience is that this period is not long enough always to be reliable. However,

A woman's place From Dr Elizabeth Vallance and

others

Sir, Bernard Levin has a long and distinguished record as the cham-pion of equal rights and fair play and the enemy of irrational prejudice and discrimination. It is therefore no surprise to read his vigorous attack (April 13) upon "illogical and unfair" discrimination against women parliamentary candidates simply because they are women. But it is a pity that he begins by trivialising the issue by throwing pillows at "the ladies of The 300 Group". He thus obscures the central and lamentable fact that only three per cent of the members of the Commons are women: the lowest proportion of any democratic legislature in the western world.

The 300 Group (which is all-party and includes men as well as women) exists to change that statistic so that women as well as men become fairly represented in the nation's elected Parliament. We do not seek literal or courts are very unlikely to listen to such an argument.

The point can easily be demonstrated to oneself by having a strong flavoured drink, such as a sweet sherry, and noting how long the flavour remains in the mouth. To make the new machine satisfactory what is now needed is some mouth wash which will chemically destroy all alcohol and alcoholic byproducts. Otherwise I can predict a number of rightly aggrieved motorists condemned among the genuinely guilty. and an unnecessary further worsening of relations between public and authority.

Please, a good safe test is urgently needed, and an unsafe one is no substitute. Yours faithfully,

K. BORER. Keith Borer Consultants. Whitton House, Whitton, Stockton-on-Tees, Cleveland.

mathematical equality, nor any fixed

total of the service.

financial system.

quota of women MPs. Our objective is that qualified candidates of both sexes should be selected and elected. It is not necessary that an MP should be a woman in order to represent the interests of the 52 per cent of the electorate who are women. But it is very important that the Commons should cease to be so

overwhelmingly male by gender, attitude and experience. The 300 Group attempts to persuade people to abandon outmoded prejudices against women candidates. We also train and support women so that they may occupy their rightful place in the political life of this country. We welcome Mr Levin and your readers to the campaign for this fundamen-tal principle of a just and democratic

society. Yours faithfully, ELIZABETH VALLANCE ANTONY LESTER, LISANNE RADICE, The 300 Group, 48 Bryanston Square, W1.

Aid to Third World

From Professor Angelos Angelopoulos Sir, If the "aid" granted to and the "debts" incurred by the poor countries do not improve the standard of life of their peoples, as Professors Peter Bauer and Basil Yamey stated in The Times (feature, April 11), the blame does not belong only to the Third World countries. Certainly there is some irrational utilization and waste of this capital, but the main cause is the financing

From the existing foreign debt of the developing countries, which at the end of 1982 amounted, according to OECD, to \$626bn, 70 per cent this amount represents private debts and \$400bn are debts to the banks. The impossibly high annual paid and the amortization should be service, which amounted for 1982 to postponed. The repayment of the capital should start again from the \$131bn, is due to the fact that the sixth year with a prolongation for 15 maturity of the loans is only seven further years. to eight years and so the amortiza-

tion represents 62 per cent of the The amounts economized by the developing countries through the To pay this enormous service the postponement should be utilized for developing countries are obliged to productive projects and the necess-

ask for new loans every year. It is ary goods and services should be interesting to note that from the new bought from the creditor countries. loans granted between 1974 and By this arrangement the banks 1982, 72 per cent has been absorbed will not incur any loss and will avoid by the service of the old existing collapse. The developing countries will be relieved in their budgets. A If the banks don't furnish new effective demand will be created sufficient new loans, as is now the by the developing countries, which case, crisis is inevitable and menaces could induce new investments and

not only the banks, but the whole create new jobs in the industrial countries. For this reason, as I have If this postponement could be proposed recently in an article combined with a new long-term published in the Revue des Deux financing, as I have proposed Mondes, Paris (November, 1982). elsewhere, the beginning of the recovery of the activity of the world the only possibility to avoid crisis is to give a five-year grace period, during which the interests should be

economy could be assured. Yours etc, ANGELOS ANGELOPOULOS, 32 Rue Parthenonos (402). Athens.

Odd spot-checks at Holyhead

From Miss Dervla Murphy

Sir. On the afternoon of Sunday. April 17, I was stopped in the customs shed at Holyhead by a young woman in plain clothes who explained: "This is a security check under the Prevention of Terrorism Act." As proof of identification I produced my AIB bankers' card, my RGS fellow's card, my An Taisce member's card and my HTD

outpatient's card. Next. I stated the purpose of my visit to the UK - to get my nev book off to the printer - and listed the six English friends with whom I had stayed: all, as it happens, of

mind-boggling respectability. The young woman then spent 20 minutes scrutinizing my luggage, which (apart from a pair of pyjamas) consisted entirely of books, maps, TSS, learned journals, anti-nuclear leaflets and magazines, personal letters and sundry documents

including bank statements. was the only person to be checked that afternoon, though hundreds of passengers, including scores of hairy young men, were boarding the Dun Laoghaire ferry, some of them looking much more likely targets for PTA vigilance than an elderly female, grey and lined and bowed beneath the weight of printed

matter, Of course it's reassuring to know that such spot-checks are made; and the young woman was polite and chatty and we ended up the best of friends. She did, however, read a few of my personal letters and she carefully studied my bank statements, (I hope the computer's arcane outpourings were clearer to

her than they are to me.) As I lead a very humdrum life. both personally and financially. I have in fact no objection to the general public reading my letters and bank statements. But it did occur to me that there must be many other equally law-abiding citizens who would object, for valid reasons, to such an intrusion into their private

lives.
When eventually I boarded the ferry - the gangplank had to be replaced to allow me on - I got into conversation with an elderly Englishwoman to whom I expressed my puzzlement at having been singled out for PTA attention. She said. "You're wearing three antinuclear badges. I've learnt to take mine off, just to save time, when passing these security checks".

Then I saw the joke. If one is opposed on ethical grounds to the nuclear deterrent - the ultimate form of terrorism - one may be suspected of subversion by those who operate the Prevention of Terrorism Act. Mankind is surely in a muddle like it never was before.

Yours etc. DERVLA MURPHY, The Old Market, Lismore, co Waterford.

Post-coital pill

From Dr J. M. Finnis Sir, Why, asks Glanville Williams (April 13), did "Parliament [in 1803] choose the word 'miscarriage instead of and to the exclusion of the ex

'abortion' "?
The answer is simple. Parliament didn't. The opening words of section 2 of that Act speak of "miscarriage or abortion", obviously as syn-onyms, And in the debate on section which employs only the word "miscarriage", the Bill's draftsman and sponsor, Lord Ellenborough, consistently used the word "abortion", to identify the forbidden act. If a man administers a "post-coi-

tal pill", disguised as something else. to the woman he fears is pregnant with his child, conceived weekend, can anyone tother than Professor Williams and Mr Kennedy) doubt that he commits an offence under the law established (at latest) in 1803 and left untouched in

Mr Kennedy (April 11) calls for a test case; as was reported some weeks ago, the responsible public officers are being pressed to act now to uphold the law. Yours faithfully,

J. M. FINNIS. University College, Oxford. April 17.

Buying British

From Mr Victor Screbriakoff Sir. Your correspondent (April 15) implies regret that he cannot buy a British made dishwasher.

We joined the Common Market to participate in a larger economic group. Instead of protecting the small-scale, inefficient and therefore uncompetitive production of the whole range of things we need, we hoped in the larger market, with economics of scale, to concentrate on the efficient, competitive production of what we are good at and have the benefit of wider choice among things we are bad at.

We have done well. Britain's exports represent a higher proportion of gnp than those of any other country, but it is not sensible to hope that we can win them all

Yours faithfully VICTOR SEREBRIAKOFF

Flat I. 6 The Paragon, SE3.

April 15.

Endangered species?

From Mr Michael Cudlipp Sir, Lord Cudlipp (April 22) is surely correct to regard the fact of six editors of the Daily Express within

six years as an endangered species.

I recall nine editors of the Sunday Graphic within 11 years. Not only are they no more, but neither is it. Yours sincerely, MICHAEL CUDLIPP, 4 Stratford Place, W1. April 26.

further from the truth. CABs have a long history of using the vast experience we gain from our clients to inform government of the effects of legislation and to suggest changes. This is done in a respon-



COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT **CIRCULAR**

WINDSOR CASTLE April 27: By command of The Queen, Lieutenant-General Sir John Richards (Marshal of the Diplo-Richards (Marshal of the Diplomatic Corps) called upon His Excellency Mr Robert Tatira Zwinoira and Mrs Zwinoira at 11 Chesterfield Street, W1 this morning in order to bid farewell to His Excellency upon relinquishing his appointment as High Commissioner for the Republic of Zimbabwe in London.

CLARENCE HOUSE April 27: Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother this morning opened the Total Body Irradiation Unit at the Royal Mary in Hospital,

Sutton.
The Hon Mrs John Mulholland and Sir Martin Gilliat were in

attendance.
Her Majesty was present this evening at a Reception given by the London Division Royal Naval Reserve at Fishmongers' Hail.

The Lady Grimthorpe, Sir Martin Gilliat and Captain the Hon Jeremy Stopford were in attendance.

KENSINGTON PALACE April 27: The Duke of Gloucester, Grand Prior, The Order of St. John, this morning received and invested The Rt Hon Ratu Sir Kamisese Mara, Prime Minister of Fiji, as a Knight of Grace of the order. YORK HOUSE ST JAMES'S PALACE

ST JAMES'S PALACE
April 27: The Duke of Kent,
President of the Royal National
Lifeboat Institution, today visited
the Lifeboat Stations of Barrow-inFurness, Cumbria and Morecambe,
Fleetwood, Blackpool and Lytham
St Annes in Lancashire.
His Royal Highness who travelled
in an aircraft of the Queen's Flight,
was attended by Captain John
Stewart.

The Athenaeum

The committee of the Athenaeum has under Rule II elected the following to membership: Sir Jeremy Morse, chairman, Lloyds Bank, and Sir Anthony Parsons, formerly United Kingdom Permanent Representative to the United

Peterhouse, Zimbabwe The governors of Peterhouse have Megahey, at present a housemaster at Cranleigh School, to be rector of the school in succession to Mr B. R. Fieldsend, who retires in December.

Felixstowe College Entrance scholarships for September, 1983, have been awarded to the

following candidates:
Catherine Beaumont, St. Cedd's School.
Cheimsford: Sarah-Jane Benitsey, St. Cedd's
School, Cheimsford: Kale Dean, South Lee
School, Bury St. Edmunde: Stephanie
Handlian, The Bara School, Much

The Summer Term begins at Culford School today. The Old Culfordians' matches will be played on Saturday, June 25, and Open Day will be on Saturday, July 16.

The marriage took place at St Mary's church, Stapleford, Wittshire, on March 26 between Mr Stephen Wickham and Miss Ann Worrall.

Culford School

Latest wills Estate of £1.5m Mr Thomas Aveling, of Budleigh, Salterton, Devon, left estate valued at £1,545,370 net. General Sir Alan Gordon Canning-

Bakewell, Derbyshire, antique dealer face of Middleton, Muriel Peace, of Middleton, Manchester for Palestine, 1945-48, left 54,826 net.

Other estates include (net, before face) Centeral Str Alan Gordon Canang-ham, of Yalding, Kent, last High Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief for Palestine, 1945-48, left £54,826 net. Ajayi, Mr Richard Adejumo, of West Yorkshire...

Mercury will be at inferior conjunction on the 12th and will not be observable this month.

Venus is a very prominent evening object in the western sky, moving rapidly from Taurus and over much of Gemini. Moon quite

Mars is now lost in the sunset

throughout the castern half of the sky, at magnitude -2.1 and 16 times as bright as its neighbour Antares, it will pass on the 6th. Moon

glow.

Jupiter will come into opposition

and will be visible on the 27th and will be visible throughout the dark hours, quite dominating the eastern half of the

as origin as its neighbour Antares, which it will pass on the 6th. Moon very close to it on the 26th.

Saturn now ranks as an evening star, but like Jupiter it will be visible throughout the dark hours. Moon close to it on 23rd.

Uranus rises early enough to

appear on the map, and will reach opposition on the 29th. On the 16th

opposition on the 29th. On the 16th it will be less than a degree south of the bright Jupiter. The two planets

will be in the same binocular field of view for a day or two on either side

of the date, and thus there will be an opportunity to see the elusive Uranus, magnitude 5.8 and green-

Neptune rises before midnight but is not quite on our map. The Moon: last quarter, 5d04h, new, 12d19h; first quarter, 19d14h;

As the Moon moves around the sky it inevitably passes in front of stars, not normally the same stars

month by month. The phenomenon is known an occultation, and the exact timing of the disappearance

and reappearance of stars is a regular occupation of some pro-fessional astronomers and well equipped and experienced ama-

The chance is low because of the

low altitude of the Moon and bright twilight, but it might be worth a look with binoculars or a small telescope. In latitude 52° (the English Midlands) the Moon will

rise at 19h49m and the Sun set at 20h02m, both later for observers

farther north and/or west of

(exactly full at 18h48m) when it

rises, but if you watch the western limb you just might see Jupiter reappear at 20h26m; this is a

Jupiter will be behind the Moon

resumal actionomers and went required and experienced amaters. In the case of a bright star or an even brighter planet it is an interesting event for anyone to watch. Unfortunately occultations of bright objects are infrequent, but there is just a possibility of seeing one on the 26th.

Estate, Richmond, Surrey, upon the completion of the first 91 homes built by the London and Quadrant Housing Trust on land provided by the Richmond Parish Lands

the Richmond Parish Lands
Charity.
Lady Mary Fitzalan-Howard was
in attendance.
Her Royal Highness, President of
the Children's Country Holidays
Fund, was represented by the Hon
Angus Ogilvy at the Memorial
Service for the Earl of Arran which
was held at St Bride's Church, Fleet

Lady Helen Windsor, daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Kent, is 19 today. The President of Zambia is 59

today. A memorial service for the Earl of Ancaster will be held today at noon at St Margaret's, Westminster. A memorial service for Brigadier H.
S. Hopkinson will be held today at
noon in the Guards Chapel,
Wellington Barracks.

A memorial service for Mr Vernon Bartlett will be held at 12.30 today at St Bride's Fleet Street.

A service of thanksgiving for the life of Dorothy Kennedy-Davis will be held at noon on Wednesday, May 4, 1983, at St Saviour's church, Walton Street, SW3. A memorial service for Geoffrey Cobbold will be held in the chapel, BRNC, Dartmouth, on Friday, May 6, at 2 30pm. Applications for tickers should be sent to the chaplain, BRNC.

Birthdays today

Marriages

Mr Ian Beer, 52; Mr Michael Brearley, 41; Baroness Carnegy of Lour, 58; Commandant Elizabeth Craig McFeely, 56; Miss Angna Enters, 76; Mrs Odette Hallowes, GC, 71; Mr Justice Leonard, 57; Sir Hugh Stewart.

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE
April 27: Princess Alexandra this affternoon visited the Queen's Road

Hugh Lockhart-Mummery, 65; Major-General W. H. D. Ritchie, 82; Sir Bernard Shaw, 92; Mr J. L. Thorn, 58; Mr Garfield Weston, 56.

The bride, who was given in

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory silk chintz and a long tulle veil held in place by a tiara lent by Mrs Thompson-Royds. She was attended by Christopher Thompson-Royds, Harry Speir, Harriet Tindal, Nichola Bennett, Susannah

Gentle and Isia Dawes. Mr lan

A reception was held at the home of the bride.

Goldstone, Mr Maurice Jacob, of

Bakewell, Derbyshire, antique dealer £225,638

The sky at night in May

The diagram shows the brighter stars that will be above the horizon in the latitude of London at 23h (11 pm) at the beginning. 22h (10 pm) in the middle and 21h (9 pm) at the end of the month, local mean time. At places away from the Greenwich meridian the Greenwich times at which the diagram applies are later than the above by one bour for each 15 deg west of Greenwich and

will be a little earlier to the west and

later to the north.

As the evening goes on the sky

will darken and the Moon recede, so Jupiter will be obvious, but if the

Spica, a very hot but very distant one about three times the diameter

of the Sun. The most northerly, Arcturus, is very different, being a

and shining with a yellowish light instead of bluish.

instead of bluish.

The surface temperature of about 4,00°C is lower than that of the Sun, but it is 25 times as large and only 36 light-years away.

It is the primarpal star of Bootes, now commonly called the Herds-

man, though through the ages it has had quite a number of other appellations. The picture in Flamsteed's Atlas of 1729 shows him facing east with a club in his right

cool, near star, but of enormous size

Shuttleworth was best man.

and Miss A. J. M. Worrall

Mr S. G. Wickbam

Mr D. F. L. Chadd and Miss J. M. M. Rowe

The engagement is announced between David Chadd, of Hingham, Norfolk, and Julia, eldest daughter of Dr and Mrs A. J. Rowe, of Ixworth Abbey, Suffolk. Mr T. Thompson-Royds
and Miss A. Hedley
The marriage took place on
Saturday, April 23, at St Peter's,
Brackley, of Mr Timothy Thompson-Royds, youngest son of the late
Major Christopher Thompson-Royds and of Mrs Thompson-Royds, and Miss Anne Hedley,
younger daughter of Mr and Mrs
Gordon Hedley. The Rev Julian
Harlord and the Rev James Scott
officiated.

Forthcoming

Mr S. H. Burge and Miss L. A. De Bell

The engagement is announced

between Scott, only son of Mr and Mrs W. M. Burge, of San Diego, California, and Lisa, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H. J. De Bell, of

marriages

Fryerning, Essex.

Dr. M. E. M. Colchester and Miss J. R. Miles

The engagement is announced between Marcus, son of the Rev H. and Mrs Colchester, of Great Tew Vicarage, Oxon, and Jillian, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. D. Miles of

Mr P. A. d'Anyers Willis and Miss C. M. Reeve

The engagement is announced between Piers Anthony, younger son of Mr and Mrs Guy d'Anyers Willis, of Spindle Hill, Higham, Colchester, Suffolk, and Cecilia Mary, daughter of Mr J. P. F. Reeve, of Greenfields Farmhouse, Kings Barn Lane, Steyning, Sussex, and of Mrs M. E. Reeve, of 20 Hogarth Way, Hampton, Middlesex.

Mr J. T. Dyson and Miss B. M. Gibbs

The engagement is announced between John, younger son of Mr and Mrs J. W. Dyson, of Howell Hill, Ewell, Surrey, and Belinda, younger daughter of Major and Mrs H. S. Peers The engagement is announced between Robin John, younger son of Mr and Mrs G. Russel-Fisher, of Hale. Cheshire, and Helen Sarah.

Mr P. H. J. Grumbar and Miss H. C. Dobson

The engagement is announced Mr D. J. Thompson between Paul, younger son of Mr and Miss C. L. Grey-Turner The engagement is announced between Paul, younger son of Mr and Mrs Harry Grumbar, of Rats Castle, Tonbridge, Kent, and Hilary, younger daughter of Mr Arthur Dobson and the late Mrs Betsy Dobson of Chimneys, Guildford, Surrey.

cartier by a like amount if the place be east. The map should be burned so that the horizon the observer is facing (shown by the words around the cincle) is at the bottom. the zenith being at the centre. Greenwich Mean Thme, known to spinomers as Universal Time and expressed in 24-hour notation, is used in the accompaying notes unless otherwise stated.

hand and in the left the leads of the Hunting Dogs (Canes Venatici). Arcturus is the left knee; the two

stars next above delineate the waist the next two the shoulders and the

An old (1889) classical dictionary

associates the name Bootes with (1) Icaras, the father of Erigone, and (2) Arcas, whom Jupiter placed in the

heavens, although other legends link that name with Ursa Minor.

Sun God.

In ancient Egypt it was Horus, the

Centuries ago the positions of the

constellations were linked with seasonal activities, but owing to precession (March notes) the links

inevitable change over a long period. Bootes has been the

Ploughman, but also the Harvester.

A figure facing the other way has

Driver of the Wagon." Bootes with the Wain", for the hind quarters of Ursa Major, commonly called the Plough, has sometimes been called Charles's Wain. A wain is a hay wagon, but who was Charles?

Mr N. C. de Mattos and Miss S. E. Rennie

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, elder son of Mr and Mrs P. S. de Mattos, of Maidstone, Kent, and Susan, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs C. Rennie, of Hampstead Way, London,

Mr R. D. G. Ireland and Miss S. C. Hare

The engagement is announced between Ronald, elder son of Mr and Mrs J. D. H. Ireland, of Caterham, Surrey, and Catherine, only daughter of Major and Mrs H. M. Hare, of Docking Hall, Norfolk.

Mr J. S. Manaing and Miss S. E. Curtis

The engagement is announced between Steven, elder son of Mr and Mrs M. J. Manning, of Newton, Kirkham, Lancashire, and Sarah, daughter of Dr A. R. Curtis, of Warton, Preston, Lancashire.

Mr A. J. Mess and Miss S. J. Stead

The engagement is announced between Andrew, son of Mr and Mrs G. A. Moss, of Winchester, Hampshire, and Susan, daughter of Mr and Mrs D. M. Stead, of Costock, Leicestershire.

Mr M. K. Pattihis and Miss A. M. Houlton

The engagement is announced between Marios, youngest son of Mr and Mrs K. C. Pattihis, of Nicosia, Cyprus, and Ann Marie, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs B. R. Houlton of Guildford, Surrey. The marriage will take place in December.

bire, and second daughter of Mr and Mrs B. E. Peers, of Bowdon, Cheshire.

The engagement is announced between David, son of Mr and Mrs James Thompson, of Petersham, and Catherine, daughter of Dr and Mrs Elston Grey-Turner, also of Petersham, Surrey.

Service dinner Northern Maritime Air Region,

A ladies' guest night was held yesterday at RAF Pitreavie Castle, yesterday at RAF Prineavic Castle, Dunfermline, Fife. The guests of honour were Air Vice-Marshal D.C.A. Lloyd, Commander North-ern Maritime Air Region, Air Officer Scotland and Northern Ireland, and Mrs Lloyd. Wing Commander J. H. Carter presided.

after the memorial service with Lady Lucy Fortescue Gore, Lady Laura Fortescue Gore and Fiona Countess of Arran, his widow. In the background are Mr Angus Ogilvy and Prebendary Dewi Morgan (Photograph: Chris Harris). Memorial service Luncheons

HM Government
Mr Francis Pym, Secretary of State
for Foreign and Commonwealth
Affairs, was host yesterday at a
luncheon given at Lancaster House The Earl of Arren Princess Alexandra, president of the Children's Country Holiday Fund, was represented by the Hon Angus Ogilvy at a memorial service for the Earl of Arran held yesterday at St of the Prime Minister of Fiji and Adi Lady Lala Mara. Bride's, Fleet Street, Prebendary Dewi Morgan officiated, The Earl of Dewi Morgan officiated. The Estri of Lansdowne read the lessons, Music was played by the Leonard Friedman Ensemble, Among those present were been a Cambres of Arran (videow), the Countes of Arran (videow), the Countes of Arran (daughter-to-lew). Lady Laura Fortecue Gore grand Lady Lucy Fortency Gore (Garandaughters), May Fortency Gore (Garandaughters), May Mary Colouisous (dister-to-law). Sir Ahm and Lady Wigon forther-to-law and sister-to-law) for many forter-to-law and sister-to-law). But and the Marcotom Colephous.

The Dute and Duches of Rutland, the

Mr Peter Rees, QC, Minister for Trade, was host at a luncheon held yesterday at Admiralty House. The guest was a member of the UK-Pakistan commercial seminar, Mr Ellahibux Soomro, Pakistan's Min-ister of Industries.

Royal College of Surgeons of England

The Countess of Arran, daughter-in-law of the late Earl of Arran, leaving St Bride's church, in Fleet Street, yesterday

Professor Geoffrey Slaney, president of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, yesterday enterained at luncheon at the college Viscount Loverhaime, Mr B A Dawson, Mr Julian D Smith and Mr F Gordon

British Council British Council
Sir John Burgh, Director-General of
the British Council, was host at a
luncheon held yesterday at 10
Spring Gardens in honour of Dr
Abdul Razzak Kassim Al Hashimi,
Iraq's Minister of Higher Education
and Scientific Research.

Dinners

The Speaker gave a dinner in Speaker's House yesterday. The

Inner Temple
The Treasurer, Sir Rawden Temple,
QC, and Masters of the Bench of the
Inner Temple entertained the
following guests at dinner last night,
being Grand Day of Easter Term:
The High Commissioner for New Zealand,
ford Elike Sir John Kerr, QC, Lord Justice
Ackner, Mr Justice Goulding, Treasurer of
Lincothy Inn. Sir Commydd Traherne, Sir
Colin Cole, Mr Anthony Cripps, QC,
Treasurer of the Middle Temple, Professor Treasurer of the Middle Temple. Professor R H Graveson, QC Treasurer of Grav's hard Anthony Prenderpast. Mr D G Alastie. Mator Eric Curts. Mr 10 Grishs. QC Malon Hoare. Leutenant-Commander

Fletchers' Company
The Fletchers' Company held a
Court meeting at Innholders' Hall
yesterday at which the
following yesterday at which the following officers were installed for the ensuing year, Mr H L Waterman, Master, Mr D J Eldridge, Upper Warden and Mr C Greville Smith, Renter Warden. Afterwards a dinner was held. The speakers were Judge Aron Owen, Mr Donald Forster, the Master and the Upper Warden

Warden. **Association of British Factors**

Mr R. A. Pilcher, chairman of the Association of British Factors, and Association of British Pactors, and members of council were hosts at the annual dinner held last night in Guildhall. The Hon Nicholas Ridley, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, was the principal guest. the National Quality Campaign.

The Duke and Duchess of Rusland, the uke of Devopshire, the Duchess of Jestininster, Laura Duchess of MacRo-

Arthur Collins, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir and Lady Penn, Sir Gilbert Longden, Donald Camerón of Leciale, Sir Eriv Ford, Sir Lees and the Hon Lady Ma Dame Aim Parket Bowles, Colonel T.* and Lady Betty Winnington, Mr Peter Lady Elbabeth Clidield. Mr and the I Mrs Michael Brand.

Mrs Michael Brand.

Mrs Ponsid Cameron, yr of Lochici. Mrs Regimaid Meadling. Mr ion Harvey. Mrs Peter Cameron Mr. Ion Harvey. Mrs Peter Cameron Mr. Ion Harvey. Mrs Peter Cameron Mr. Ion Hose Lemas Forshall. Mr and Are Parick Telefer Samolet of Bonhill. Mr Alaetair Portees. Mrs Harold Phillips, Mr and Are Villiam Comments. Mr and Mrs Lionel Stopford Sackville. Mr Neil Hughes-Onsiow. Mr James Stobart. Mr H N Biakiston. Mrs Thomas Fellowes. Mr Hervyn Merbert, Mr Andrew Tennant. Mr G I Howell urepresenting the Chairman Advin Daily Mell and General Trust and the Chairman and Chief Executive of Associated Newspapers Group and other

Latest appointments

Latest appointments include: Mr Colin Fawcett, QC, aged 59, to be a member of the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board.

Reception

HM Government Lord Cockfield, Secretary of State for Trade, was host at a reception-given at Lancaster Mouse yesterday on the occasion of the launching of

Sale room

Record £83,281 for president's letter By Geraldine Norman, Sale Room Correspondent

of the most obsure presidents is explained by his short tenure or office. No other letter signed by him during his presidency appears to have survived. have survived.

The one sold on Tuesday was written six days after his inauguration and concerns his private business affairs. The letter says: "The fact is that I am so harassed by

Signs of distinctly unfraternal strife

among Britain's more popular seaside resorts appeared yesterday over their generally dismal rating in a new "league table" of dirty bathing

The survey, from the Coastal

Anti-Polistion League, showed that only 83 of 158 beaches in England and Wales would meet standards on

and wates would meet standards on sewage pollution in bathing waters drawn up by the EEC in 1975.

In addition of 27 designated "Euro-beaches", which must meet those standards by 1985, 13 have so far failed to do so.

But the league accompanied its survey with strong criticisms of procedures that allow some of the best-known resorts, including Black-

avoid EEC designation. Mr Anthony Wakefield, its chairman, de-

far failed to do so.

An auction price record has been set in New York for a letter signed by a President of the United States of America. Malcolm Forbes, of Forbes Magazine, spent \$132,000 and price for a letter form one of the most obsure presidents is explained by his short tenure or called the multitudes that call upon me that I can give no proper attention 1776 to 1783, which concern the peace negotiations with Great Probes. A George Washington letter of sale for sold for \$31,000 in April, 1978, the multitudes that call upon me that I can give no proper attention 1776 to 1783, which concern the peace negotiations with Great Probes. A George Washington letter of sale, which made \$31,000 in April, 1978, the multitudes that I can give no proper attention 1776 to 1783, which concern the peace negotiations with Great Stitute of 1841 from William Henry than 530,000 or £38,130, again to of Historical Documents in Las total of £353,653.

At Christie's in London yesterday of fine Charles II circular silver collection.

not on behalf of the magazine's collection.

The Washington letter is dated May 25, 1778, and covers two and a half folio pages. It is addressed to Richard Henry Lee, the Virginia delegate to Congress, and ranges over critical events in the War of Independence.

A collection of 18 manuscripts

a fine Charles II circular silver Montrith bowl (34 oz), fiat-chased with bowl (34 oz), fiat-chased with charming chinoiserie figures, sold for £56,760 (estimate £10,000 to £15,000) to Spink. Koopman spent £27,000 on a set of three fine George II vase-shaped silver sugar casters by Paul de Lamerie of 1734 (38 oz). The silver sale totalled £440,953, with 13 per cent unsold.

Black marks for holiday beaches

competitors, Mr Roy Avrian, the. He added: "I think the public will

appreciate those authorities who are forward looking. But he declined to name the competitors. Scarborough, unlike Blackpool, chose to seek designation as a Eurobeach and has now had one of its two beaches declared officially

polluted.

About £10m is to be spent on a new sewage outfall. Mr Ayrton said:

"We are determined to achieve first-class standards, even higher than the EEC's".

pool, Brighton, Ramsgate and many beaches in Devon and Comwall, to Mr Brian Parker, Blackpool's director of environmental health, described the EEC standards as scribed Blackpool as a "shocking excessive and idealistic and said the resort decided against Euro-beach Mcznwhile at Scarborough, one status because it would have f Blackpool's chief northern involved capital spending of £25m.

Designation for the EEC directive competitors, Mr. Roy Ayrton, the borough's director of environmental health, referred scatchingly to resorts that were not prepared "to see the true situation laid before the public".

He added: "I shiply the mublic will be added: "I shiply the mublic will be added." I shiply the mublic will be added." I shiply the mublic will be added. The added to detailed numerical formulas on density of beach, criteria designed to clarify which resorts are unditionally the most heavily used. Those criteria excluded Blackpool while including relatively obscure beaches like Oddicombe, in south Devon, and Fistral Bay, in Cornwall.

The anti-pollution league is

advising bathers to spend £1 on its "golden list" of beaches before venturing forth this summer, venturing forth this summer.

Among resorts that fail to meet the EEC standards it lists Morecambe, Weston-super-Mare. Minehead, Ilfracombe, Bude, Polperro, Loce. Weymouth, Ryde and Shanklin on the Isle of Wight, Southend, Clacton

and Bridlington.
The highest concentration of clean beaches is in Glamorgan. The Golden List of Beacher in England and Wales (Coastal Anti-Pollution League, 94 Greenway Lane, Bath, BAZ 4LN, £1).

OBITUARY

MR ALBERT SPANSWICK General Secretary of Cohse

the heart of last year's health secretary in 1969. Four years workers pay dispute, collapsed later he was elected general and died in Wakefield yesterday. He was 63.

(Nupe). But as chairman of the TUC health services committee, Spanswick acted as spokesman and chief publicist Cohse was readmitted. for all the unions involved; and union's pay claim and what he saw as threats by the govern-ment to dismantle the health service.

He was not a charismatic up the union ladder. He had not had good health for some time, and was on the point of retiring as general secretary later this

Dorset in 1919, given the style of Ernest Albert George, and brought up in Poole. He was a arge, slow, thoughtful boy, happiest in open air by the seaside. He had started training as a nurse when the war broke out and he joined the RAMC. He was in the Dunkirk evacuation, and served the rest of the war in military hospitals. After the war he qualified successively as a state registered nurse and a registered mental nurse, and joined Cohse in preference to the militant Nupe and the professional Royal College of

Nursing.
Equanimity and persistence served him well as a mental nurse and eventually proved useful to the union. Spanswick was appointed northern re-gional secretary in 1959 Although Cohse's member-

ship was growing rapidly with the expansion of the health service, it was a relatively low-

Mr Albert Spanswick, who key union seldom involved in had been general secretary of serious disputes. Most mental the Confederation of Health nurses joined it, giving Spans-Service Employees (Cohse) wick a strong constituency, and since 1974, and as such was at he was elected assistant general

In 1972 Cohse had been Spanswick's own background expelled from the TUC for was not a militant one, and registering under the Industrial Cohse had long been more moderate than the National ence for Spanswick who had a Union of Public Employees strong loyalty to the labour

Relations with Nupe rethough he disliked this public mained uneasy, and occasional role, he felt strongly about his overtures for what seemed to almost all outsiders a natural merger came to nothing. Internally, Cohse had a problem with the increasing number of assaults on mental nurses and figure, but to the surprise of out of the general turbulence of many who knew him he had the health service a "broad left"

> workers' pay began last April, when the unions called the first of a series of work stoppages in support of their demand for a support of their demand for a series of their demand for a support of their demand. 12 per cent increase. It dragged on until December, when the TUC health services committee decided to accept the govern-ment's terms for a settlement in

> spite of reservations by both Cohse and Nupe.
>
> Within Cohse, Spanswick had suffered a rebuff when he and other members of the executive proposed to extend the scope of their stoppages by calling an all-out strike without emergency or accident cover. This was something that the union had never done before. and it was rejected by Cohse

> delegates.
> Spanswick was elected a member of the TUC general council in 1977; and during his time as general secretary of Cohse he was credited with raising the membership from 120,000 to 200,000. He was also appointed a JP for Surrey in 1970.

MISS JESSIE BROWN

Lady writes:
Miss Jessie Brown, MBE, who died recently at the age of 95, had a truly remarkable career, first as a pioneer in the field of orthopaedic after care nursing, and then as the Founder of the Yateley Textile Printers.

The only daughter among seven children of Colonel F. D. M. Brown VC, she was outstandingly pretty, with tremendous vitality and a strong sense of fun; and also a talented artist. She decided at an early age to devote her life wholly to the care of others. In 1910 she started training

with Sister (Dame) Agnes Hunt, and soon became an expert orthopaedic nurse. After nurs-ing soldiers in France in 1914 was put in charge of a group of clinics, and surprised the patients by arriving to visit them on a motorcycle. The surgeon, G. R. Girdlestone, invited her to join him at Oxford to set up a similar group of clinics. From there, she was chosen to go to India to nurse the King of Nepal's little niece, a polio victim.

Jessie Brown loved adventure, and she travelled to Nepal every two years, until her patient sadly died. In 1932 she made the journey by air: but the last lap still had to be on the back of an elephant, which she found very comfortable. Re-turning in 1934 to look after her elderly mother, she began to use Paper bags her creative talents designing lino-cut patterns to print tex-

Georgina Coleridge persuaded an architect to design a suitable home for ten girls, with a workshop where they could be employed printing fabrics. Regarding every prob-lem as capable of solution, Miss Brown devised special equipment of all kinds, never turned away even the most hopeless looking cases, and the Yateley Textile Printers were soon a

going concern. The 1939 war stopped their work; but Jessie Brown ran two canteens, and did duty as a nursing sister until, in 1946, she opened the workshop again. She was appointed MBE for her services in 1952.

In 1966 Miss Brown moved to Norfolk, because she had found a site where a group of ing soldiers in France in 1914 cottages for elderly people could and then at home, in 1917 she be built to her specifications. This became the Reepham Experiment, and proved so successful that similar cottage homes have been set up both in this country and in Canada. When she became too frail to

Home at Edenbridge.

Even then, her creative energy did not flag. She loved gardening, but decided that a raised flower-bed was necessary for old people. The fact that there was no way to get building materials did not stop her. Some repairs were in progress nearby, so she quietly annexed a brick at a time, building the flower-bed slowly but surely. then fetching the earth herself in

Jessie Brown will be greatly missed by her many friends. It tiles, copying tiles brought back was a rare privilege to know from Nepal.

She believed it to be her duty to help severely crippled people to help themselves; so, never taking "no" for an answer, she

someone so indomitable, so exceptionally gifted, who achieved so much but yet remained self-effacing and unspoilt to the end.

sible for some of the striking

attack forces at the decisive

Battle of Kursk which broke the

back of the Wehrmacht in the summer of that year. At Kursk,

MARSHAL STEPAN KRASOVSKY Commander of the 2nd Air

Marshal Stepan Krasovsky, whose death at the age of 85 has been reported from Moscow, Army and as such was responhad been a senior figure in the successes of Russian ground Soviet Air Force who directed the deployment of Russian tactical air power, in conjunc-tion with some of the principal military operations on the Eastern front during the Second the tactics of Russian aircraft were particularly effective against the German armour, the German 9th Panzer Division World War, and was subsequently director of the Gagarin Academy.

Though removed from command in the 1938 purges

Academy.

alone losing 70 tanks in 20 minutes to the "Circle of Death" attacks of II 2 light Academy.

Krasovsky had recovered favour enough to be given command of the Murmansk Air Brigade by the outbreak of hostilities in Europe and during the Russo-Finnish war of 1939
Learn attacks of 11 2 light 40 he commanded the air forces of the Russian 14th Army.

From March 1943 he was Academy from 1956 to 1968.

SIR ERIC OHLSON

The brief obituary of Sir Eric Ohlson in your issue of March 8 mentioned only his role as Consul, but it was indeed surprising that The Times had overlooked his greatest claim to fame as the owner-breeder of Dante whom he purchased for the paltry sum of 3500 guineas. Dante was the first Northern horse to win the Derby this century, the last of the wartime Derby winners and the idol of Northern racegoers.

Captain A. A. Jilani writes:

Dante was an exceptionally handsome brown horse, very mature and powerful, sired by the legendary Nearco. Admired by a huge Newmarket crowd in Dante the June sunshine of 1945, tality.

many of whom were in uniform, he put up a splendid performance and his Derby victory was acclaimed with great rejoicing throughout Yorkshire.

This was his grand finale as:

he never ran again, and he was retired to stud where he eventually became totally blind before dying in 1956. But the name of Dante is

commemorated to this day by an important Derby trial at York every May, the Group 2 pattern race Mecca-Dante Stakes which attracts the cream of the Derby candidates. Sir Eric Ohlson was mortal

but the name of his beloved: Dante is assured of immor-

at Cowley he was prepared to

stand by earlier forecasts that

the group would break even this

year and that it was aiming for

With the exception of the Cowley dispute which has cost

BL between £70m and £80m in

lost revenue from sales of cars

with a showroom value of

£120m, it has enjoyed an

trading year. First quarter sales

to France were up by 43 per cent compared with a year ago.

while sales to West Germany

rose by 19 per cent and sales to

Eire by 17 per cent. Much of the

sales success was due to the

overseas launch of the Metro,

but demand for the newly

launched Maestro saloon car

Mr Ray Horrocks, chief

executive of BL Cars, told the

Commons Committee that BL

was looking for a near 20 per cent share of the United

Kingdom market this year

as share prices opened sharply

higher.
Dealers reported selective

support for leading shares by

the big City institutions, but

volatile profit taking soon

covered from a dull start to close

more influenced by past in-flation rates while the upturn in

the financing needs of indus-

market at these levels.

market at present.

However, leading investing

Mr Giles Weaver, a senior

fund manager at the Edinburghbased management group Ivory

and Sime said: "You've really

got to pay through the nose for

anything with good growth protential at the moment. Of

course there will be a good

increase in company profits both this year and next, but I certainly wouldn't buy the

Mr Tony Amaud, a director

of the investment trusts group Touche Remnant said: "One

about the market at this level.

For years the Dow and the FT indexes have traded in the

with rises of up to 25p-

with conditions

Government

developed.

has also exceeded expectations.

mpressive start to the 1983

pretax profits next year.

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STOCK EXCHANGES

FT Index: 699.0 up 3.8 FT Gilts: 81.60 down 0.11 FT All Share: 441.51 up 1.97 **Bargains: 23**,862 Tring Hall USM Index: 17

Tokyo: 8634.79 up 27.32 Hongkong: 1033.76 up 5.47 New York: Dow Jones Average (latest) 1218.56 up 9.10

CURRENCIES

LONDON CLOSE Sterling \$1.5660 down 70pts Index 84.2 down 0.4 DM 3.84 FrF 11.4975 Yen 370.75 Index 122.5 unchanged

DM 2.4520 up 10pts \$431.50 down \$4.50 **NEW YORK LATEST** Gold \$434.25

Sterling \$1.5675

INTEREST RATES

Domestic rates: Base rates 10 3 month interbank 1014-103/16 Euro-currency rates:

3 month dollar 8¹⁵/₁₆-9¹/₁₈ 3 month DM5¹/₁₆-4¹⁵/₁₆ 3 month 13¹/₈-12⁷/₈ **ECGD** Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period March 2 to April 5. 1983 inclusive: 10.974 per

PRICE CHANGES

Solicitors' Law 27p up 4p Goal Petroleum 78p úp 10p Carpets Int 62p up 6.5p Staffs Potts 45p up 4p J NeiH 34p up 3p Gestetner "A" 39p up 3p

U C Invest £14.50 down Centreway Ind 43p down 5p B S G Int. 13.5p down 1p Carless Capel 203p down

CRA 270p down 18p Atlantic Res. 90p down 5p

TODAY-

Audio Fidelity Interims: Hawkins and Tipson, Hoover (Quarterly report), ICI (1st qtr), Pochin's, S Simpson.

Finals: Aero Needles, Blue Circle, Davies and Newman, Downibrae, Farnell Electronics, John Laing, Office and Elec-tronic Machines, Silentnight, Whatman Reeve Agnel, George Wimpey, Wire and Plastic

Economic statistics; Energy Trends (Feb). Overseas travel and tourism (Jan/Feb). Unemployment and unfilled vacancies (March final). Em-ployment in the production industries (Feb). Overtime and short-time working in manufac-turing industries (Feb).

Call for US steel quotas

The US International Trade Commission yesterday urged President Reagan to impose suff import quotas on four different types of speciality steel products, which it said caused substantial injury to the domestic steel industry.

If adopted, the three-year quotas would affect all imported alloy tool steel, steel bars, and

steel bars and wire rods, stainless steel sheet and strip and stainless steel plate from all countries. Although Britain does not

export a large quantity of speciality steel to the US other European countries would be seriously affected by the impo-sition of such quotas.

TELERATE LISTING: A London listing for Telerate, the computerized financial information servie, is a possibility once the 10 per cent of shares now traded on the United States market is increased.

Exco now owns 49 per cent of Telerate after yesterday's United States flotation of 10 per cent of the shares, compared with 54 per cent before.

BANKS MEET: About 20 banks met in London yesterday at a meeting hosted by Barclays to discuss Nigeria's debt problems. Nigeria is in arrears on about \$5,000m of short-term debts and proposals have already been put to banks on consolidating short-term debt into a medium term loan.

FIRM CRITICIZED: Peat Marwick Mitchell, the accountancy firm, was criticized yesterday for lapses in the quality of the performance of its work, by a committee of inquiry of the accountants joint disciplinary

• WRITE-OFF BLOW: Getty Oil Company said a \$14m (£9m) after tax write off of its investment in Northern Tier Pipeline Company adversely affected first quarter

Wall St in heavy early

extended its record-shattering rally broadly higher in the third busiest first hour in history.

The Dow Jones industrial verage was ahead 2.81 to

average share was up 10 cents. Advances led declines 335-432 among the 1,765 issues crossing

about 41,320,000 shares - up during the same period Tues-

in the early going as scores of block trades were recorded.

4to 29 and Exxon followed up 18to 3414.

out between now and summer, three years, as congress lacks the will to reduce US budget deficits, Mr James Howell, Bank of Boston, said yesterday.

that the prime rate will remain five to six percentage points above the inflation rate for the next three to five years and

US hold

From Bailey Morris, -Washington

talks with the Reagan Administ-ration on a transatlantic airlines s made by Sir Freddie Laker. Handley Stevens, Undersecreta ry at the Department of Trade. s meeting officials of the US State Department to discuss whether US antitrust laws can

be applied to British carriers.

investigation is straining Angloinvolves the same extraterriduring the Soviet gas pipeline

ment has refused to comment publicly on the case, its gation could lead to charges and financial assessments against British assets in the United

At a meeting last month, officials of the two governments were unable to resolve the increasingly hostile dispute, but they agreed to meet again this month, a British Embassy spokesman said.

But some analysts said profit taking became a factor after the initial surge of buying that was a carryover from Tuesday's torrid

1,212,17 in the morning after being up four at the outset.

from the 21,330,000 traded The ticket ran 10 minutes late

active issue, which was un-changed at 221, Mobil Corp was second up

 US interest rates will bottom then gradually rise over the next economist, of First National

forecast average consumer price inflation of five per cent in 1983, six per cent in 1984 and seven to eight per cent in 1985.

Britain and

the two governments, an embassy official said.

opposed by the British Govern-

Diplomatic sources in Washington said the Laker American relations because it

told MPs yesterday.

The NYSE index was ahead 0.26 to 93.09 and the price of an

The first hour volume of

indicating large institutional Raiston-puring was the most

He told a press conference

Laker talks

British Government officials have arrived in Washington for investigation sparked by charg-The British team, led by Mr

A provision of the air service countries provides for high-level consultations whenever serious problems arise between

The investigation by the US Justice Department into charges by Sir Freddie Laker that seven leading airlines - including British Airways and British Caledonian - conspired to drive him out of business has been

Although the Justice Departunannounced criminal investi-

trading

Privatization of BL, the state- recently ended four-week strike owned car company, could be set in motion as early as next year chairman, Sir Austin Bide,

Answering questions from the House of Commons Select Committee on Industry and Trade, Sir Austin said that BL, return to the private sector would probably take place in

tages possibly beginning next

BL officials refused to con-

cede that the group looks set to "cream off" its profitable divisions leaving the taxpayer to support loss-making areas while Sir Austin would not admit that some areas of the business are beyond recovery.

However he indicated that he Austin Rover group and the Levland Vehicles bus and truck division were the biggest lossmakers in the group while Jaguar and the Unipart car

Sir Austin said that depite the

Share prices burst through the important '700' mark

yesterday, but failed to hold

their best levels with the FT

index ending the day only 3.8 up

The overnight strength on

Wall Street, where the Dow

Jones Average rose above the

1200 level, and the CBI's forecast of a gradual recovery from the recession set the scene

nterest rates and a bull market

T 30-share index in the London market, a straw poll of

But nearly all of them also

expressed caution about expect-

ing further significant progress and all agreed that at current

levels, the market is assuming a

Conservative party victory.

The absence of a June

election or any kind of setback at the polls for the Conserva-tives could have a severe effect

Mr James Fergusson of the

stockbroking firm James Capel,

who is less cautions than most about the market, said: "If there-

is any crumbling of support for

the Tories, prices will collapse.

in one sense, it is a political

Mr Roger Parsons, of brokers

in the United States, have all

at a record 699.0.

contributed

on share prices.

business

SDares

were profit

Index fails to stay

above 700 mark

Brokers preach caution

Strong foreign interest in economic cycle for financial shares, the improved outlook markets. "Cash flows of inves-

for company profits, falling tors are still growing at a rate

contributed to yesterday's demand is not yet reflected in breach of the 700 mark for the the financing needs of indus-

brokers and fund managers institutions appear reluctant to agreed yesterday. commit fresh funds to the



Jaguar and Unipart most likely to be sold

BL privatization could begin

compared with last year's 16 per

cent share. He answered the committee's criticism of BL management in introducing the productivity measures which caused the Cowley strike by claiming the decision to introduce the new measures was critical We are competing in very

RTZ cuts

stake

By Sally White

and metals group, has made its

long-awaited rights issue to raise A \$206m (about £110m). This is one of the largest rights

issues in the Australian market.

opportunity of the rights issue to reduce its shareholding from

57.2 per cent to 52.9 per cent

and is seeling some of its holding. But it has surprised the

market by not taking the stale

down to the 49 per cent level it

has undertaken to the Austra-

lian Government to reach over

time. While CRA remains a

subsidiary, the RTZ balance-sheet is burdedned with its debt.

The terms of the issue of

54.4m shares at A\$3.80 are one

for every eight held. The price is more than A\$1 below the

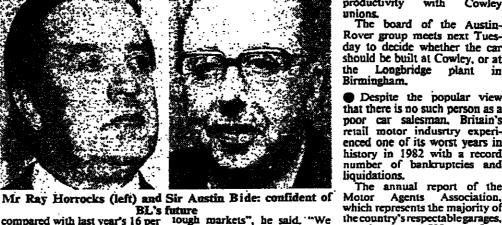
market price, RTZ is reducing

its stake, it is renouncing 9.8m

to place them.

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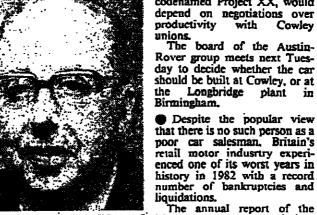
CRA, the Australian mining



BL's future

tough markets", he said. "We have to produce value for money. Part of the issue is about that."

Speaking after the committee meeting. Mr Horrocks said that a final decision on the proposed £100m investment in the development in collaboration with Honda of an executive car,



from the poor state of the economy and while car sales last year exceeded expectations 652 filling stations closed bringing total closures in the last decade to almost 9,000. £150,000 to settle

dispute about responsibilities to clients that followed the "hammering" of Hedderwick Stirling Grumbar in April 1981 has been at least partly resolved. The partners of Quilter Goodison, the firm of Sir Nicholas Goodison, the Stock Exchange chairman, and Mr Martin Fidler, the liquidator of Hedderwick, have agreed a settlement which will mean neither side making claims

Hedderwick costs The long and acrimonious on the day it was due to merge with Quilter. Quilter responded to Hedderwick's request, made when it defaulted, to look after some of the firm's clients. But Hedderwick had already incurred heavy costs in looking after the clients subsequently

taken on board by Quilter, Mr

codenamed Project XX, would

Longbridge plant in

retail motor industtry experi-

history in 1982 with a record

Petrol retailers also suffered

Motor Agents

went out of business.

of bankruptcies and

with Cowley

Fidler has now accepted a payment of £150,000 from Quilter as a settlement of those costs and will not be making any claim against Onilter

Sotheby's under hammer

Marshall Čogan were last night poised to win control of Sotheby Parke Bernet, barring a last-minute intervention by the Government.

of the shares to which it is Market purchases have taken entitled, and there will be a nonthe share of stake of the two renounceable issue of one for 18 American financiers and art collectors to nearly 30 per cent and under the City takeover At the close of trading the London quoted price for CRA rules, they are allowed to was down 18p at 270p. resume the purchase of shares

Mr Stephen Swid and Mr through the stock market next Wednesday. Market sources say they will have no difficulty in purchasing the extra 20 per cent

needed for control. Representatives of the Amoricans' financial advisers, Morgan Grenfell, met Sir Gordon Borrie of the Office of Fair Trading vesterday in a final effort to prevent a reference of the £60m bid to the Monopolies City Comment

Dollars and nonsense

It sounds like the ultimate pre-summit platitude, when Sir Geoffrey Howe talks about the need to reinforce nations' understanding of the way their econmic policies affect each other. But anyone privy to Mr Martin Feldstein's remarks in Paris yesterday about the dollar would rapidly realise that there is a big job of education to be done. While Europe and the Far East wail on about the baleful effects on them of the present high dollar Mr Feldshein analyses the question purely in terms of US self-interest. This is particularly disturbing as he is chairman of President Reagan's council of econ-

omic advisers. Far from being disturbed about the high dollar, Mr Feldstein claims that it performs a useful function for his country by sucking in funds from abroad to bolstar capital investment in his economy and prevent the Federal government's enormous budget deficit from crowding out the US private sector. It does not, apparently, occur to him that this merely distorts the economies of his allies. which must suffer higher

interest rates It should be said that Mr Feldstein is a trenchant critic of the deficit. But given this his main regret is that the process has not gone far enough.

His conclusion, not surprisingly, is that "the US Government should not pursue exchange rate policies aimed at lowering the dollar's value". How far this is unneighbourly isolationism and how far it is merely a justification for laissez-faire prejudice is a moot point.

Certainly, Mr Feldstein still clings to the fallacy that foreign exchange speculators are always right in aggregate. So it is meaningless to talk of an over or under-valued cur-rency. This is O-Level economics from a professoi who should know better.

Confidence brings results'

This statement was made last week by Mr R. W. Pettitt, Chairman of Minet Holdings PLC, as he announced record 1982 profits.

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£14.8 million
1981
3.80 p

Our international resource of skills and activities gives us every reason to look to the future with great confidence.

Minet represents an entirely new dimension in confidence - for our shareholders, clients and employees alike.



Panmure Gordon, thought the market would stick at current relationship of roughly two to one. The Dow is now 1,200 and the FT in 700 which makes the levels ahead of the general He said that this was the London mar most advantageous point in the overpriced." London market look just a little Call for transferable pensions

By Our Financial Staff their own transferable pension scheme, would be to promote All employees including now covered by occuentitlements. pension schemes. рацопа

should have the chance to save for retirement in their own right, according to a memor-andum published yesterday by They should be free to opt out

The memorandum, proposes With present arrangements, that everyone in work should be early leavers from company able to save through approved schemes are penalised because segregated S226-type funds. their pension rights are related The effect of allowing em- to income in the final year of ployees to have pensions in each employment, the real their own name, rather than value of which is croded by belonging to a company inflation. Leading article, p 13

ease of movement between jobs.

of company schemes and have Banks to be offered 'fraud-proof' system

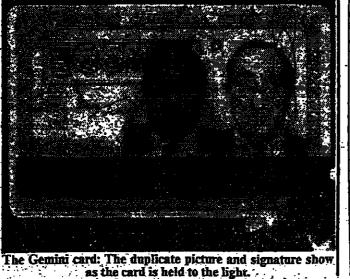
Card with a double check

By Peter Wilson-Smith, Banking Corresponden

the Centre for Policy Studies.

A new type of plastic card has heen developed by Trapinex, a subsidiary of the printing group McCorquodale; which it believes holds the answer to the £30m-a-year fraud problem suffered by the clearing banks. Called the Gemini card, it is the latest of several new cards developed recently by different manufacturers. It includes a duplicate photograph and signature bonded beneath the surface of the card and Trapinex believes it is virtually

impossible to alter. The big banks are losing £20m a year of cheque card fraud alone and the Committee of London Clearing Bankers hasa working party set up which is



International

Tear to 31.12.02 Pretax loss £1.3m (£320,600 profit) Stated loss per share 3.3 p (0.53p) Turnover £258m (£247m) Net final dividend nil mk 0.1p

(same) Share price 131_bp down 1p Yield

BSG International has closed

the year with a net debt to

shareholders funds of around 170 per cent. That is reflection

of the toughness of life as a

vehicle distributor and motor

After beginning to show a recovery in 1981 the company

saw extremely difficult trading conditions in the second half of

last year because of lay-offs and

In addition, competition

caused gross profit contri-butions from vehicle sales to be

cut so low that they did not

cover expenses, the company

has announced a pretax loss of

£1.3m. At the trading level

vehicle distribution made £2m

British Leyland.

holidays at Ford and

B. S. G. International Year to 31.12.82

It has been expected that the market would go through 700 at some stage, but most people would have put their money on today rather than yesterday. However Wall Street and the CB! did a day early what most people expected iCI to do

That said, there is no great enthusiasm for share prices at current levels. It is possible that the market is rerating itself on an index linked basis, but if that is the case no one will be more surprised than the people who actually make the market.

Most of the signs of the top of a bull market are present. Unit trust sales are at a record which is usually one of the best indications that share prices are near their high; new issues are flowing thich and fast, and tender issues are returning to favour. (No disrespect to Boase Massimi Pollitt or its advisers, who also figure in this column. but some people take the view that tenders are used more when the professionals prefer to let the punters fix the price.)

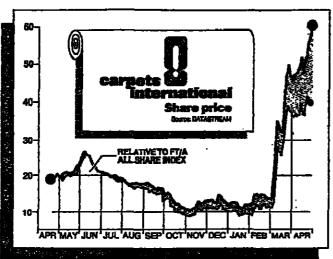
At its current level, the market is already discounting a good deal of the expected business recovery, a Tory victory in the next election, and all things bright and beautiful.

Should anything go wrong, prices will redede quickly, and even if they go right, indices are likely to reflect profit-taking in

Boase Massimi Pollitt

'There is a great deal to be said for tender offers. It is an incredible gamble to stick a pin in on a fixed price in the hope that it will be right a week later." That, together with the present volatility of the market is Morgan Grenfell's reason for advising Boase Massimi Pollitt to come to the stock market by means of a tender as opposed to

Even so, Morgan Grenfell brokers Rowe & Pitman, and



the directors of BMP do not seem to gambling a great deal anyway. On the minimum tender price of 280p, BMPwill be valued at £14.4m. More important, it is on a historic price-earnings ratio of 46.2 and a forecast multiple of 23.7 for

current year.
As the advisers and the company point out, this is a reasonable pitch in a sector where Saatchi & Saatchi is on a historic multiple of more than

If, however, the market looks "toppy", is the highest-rated sectors which are likely to suffer most, and advertising agencies fit into that category.

There is little doubt that BMP is as sound as any company can be in the advertising field. Morgan Grenfell has invented an index which shows that at 11.9 years, on average, BMP directors have job expectancy well ahead of the rest, and the company's prospectus is an advertising marvel in itself.

Similarly, there is little doubt that the striking price for BMP will be above the minimum. whether the sector will justify its premium rating over time.

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whole of the above Stock to be admitted to the Official List.

Carpets International

Carpets International may have been palled back for the

brink at last. After a loss in January, breakeven in February and a profit in March, the troubled Kidderminster company managed a marginal profit for the shole quarter against a £1.6m

loss a year ago. The carpet market has improved with increased buoyency in the housing market and the company is beginning to produce the carpets people want to buy even if it is yet to match cut-throat prices from

and manufacturing £1.6m. Interest charges were up slightly at De Beers £4.7m. However, the market believes

that this year the company could break-even. The management has been working hard over the last couple of years retionalizing the business, and in addition to cost cuts, turnover is improving. Demand for components from the motor dustry is much better, and

vehicle sales are up.

But prospects for a dramatic recovery this year are imited, so the dividend payout seems unlikely to improve.

Jessel Toynbee and Gillett, the discount house formed by the rger announced last Novembhas shared in the discount house bonanza over the past year with conbined profits after tax and transfer to inner reserves up from £576,000 to £2.17m in the year to April 5.

So far the merger has been a drag on profits because of the costs involved, but, with one building and staff now operating the book of two houses, annual savings on overheads could amount to about £1 m.

CARPETS INTERNATIONAL Pretax loss 25.58m £105m Turnover Net dividend Share price 581/pp,

company hopes to get it below 50 per cent by the end of the year and to balve last year's £3.44m interest charge.

Better still, the banks have allowed the company to spend about half the £5.5m raised from the sale of a quarter of the stake in Interface on capital equipment. Last year's figures were poor, but there was the injection of new capital put up. by the US company, Interface, where Carpets then had a 40 per cent stake and the rationaliza-Gearing is still high, but the tion of its Australian interests.

De Beers' share price has come up by 150 per cent over the past few months, but that has been fuelled by strong hopes of a recovery in diamond sales

There has been profit-taking over the last few days, ahead of the statement in the annual report, for fear its tone would be

Today's statement would seem to indicate quiet opti-mism, but judgment is in the eye of the beholder.

What it says is that, short of a further setback in the world economy, a solid base has been established from which a gradual improvement in sales

Forecasts for 1983 at the more sober end of the market have been for earnings per share around the Rand 153 level (£81), giving a price earnings ratio of 5.3 times. But there are forecasts which are as much as Rand 180. The question is whether Mr Harry Oppenheimer's tone is seen as justifying the current rating.

as recession recedes.

hoped for.

COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF

De Vere Hotels. Year to 31.12.82 Pretax profit, £1.0m (£538,000). Stated earnings, 5.2p (4.1p). Turnover, £20,46m (£20,06m). Net dividend, 6.0p (6.0p). Share price, 263p, up 7p.

Net dividend, 5.0p Share price, 184p, up 12p.

SCOTTISH WIDOWS' FUND AND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY Notice is hereby given that the 169th Annual General Meeting of the Microbeas of the Society will be held within the Head Office. IS Delkeith Road, Edinburgh, on Tucatry, the 3rd day of May 1983 at 2.30 pm for the following purposes:

M CAVAYE NOTE: A copy of the Report w Year to 31.12.82. Pretax profit, £12.72m (£13.82m) Stated earnings, 9.39p (10.43p). Turnover, 257.37m (253.66m).

A. Caird & Sons. Year to 31.1.83. Pretax loss, £146,000 (£216,000 Stated earnings (loss) 4.7p (loss, Turnover, £2.5m (£2.58m). Net dividend, 0.5p (1.25p, ajusted).

Year to 25.12.82. Pretax loss, £44,000 (£100,000 Turnover, £10.71m (£10.01m). Net dividend, 1.0p (2.5p).

Marborough Property Holdings. Year to 31.12.82. Pretax profit, 2510,000 (2471,000). Stated earnings, 1.62p (1.48p). Turnover, £2.62m (£2.27m). Net dividend, 0.45p (0.4p).

James Nelli Holdings. rear to 31.12.02. Pretax loss £574,000 (£1 m loss). Stated earnings, (loss) 4p (loss, 6 9n). Turnover, £44.96m (£47.84m). Net dividend, rál (nil). Share price, 34p, up 3p.

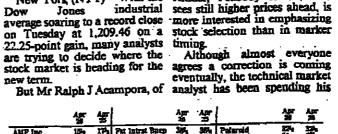
Newman Industries. Year to 31.12.82. Pretax profit, £348,000 (£4.11m Stated earnings, (loss) 0,8p (loss, 12.1p). Титоver, £72.36m (£77.98m). Net dividend, nil (nil). Share price, 23p, up 5p.

WALL STREET

Where now for the Dow?

on Tuesday at 1,209.46 on a stock selection than in marker

stock market is heading for the



New York (NYT) - With the Dow Jones industrial sees still higher prices ahead, is average soaring to a record close more interested in emphasizing any market correction.

Last December, Acampora studied each of the Dow Averages 30 component stocks in an attempt to determine their potential performance individually for this year. He came up with a target of 1,267 for the Dow within the first half of 1983. He still regards this as a valid target.

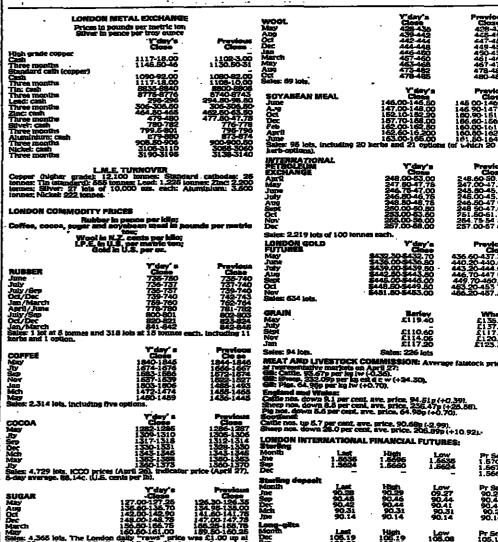
Rather than becoming concerned about the near term performance of the general market. Acampora has pin-pointed various issues that Kidder's research department recommend on a fundamental basis. At the same time, he applie a favourable overlay of technical analysis to the same

An investor can take an aggressive posture with these conservative stocks, the analyst said. If he missed the markets big rally and wants to participate currently, these are stocks he can buy and hold, because we are in the early phases of a long-term bull market.

In addition, Acampora as assigned price targets that he believes are possible for these stocks to achieve over the next

Prominent issues on his list -and their indicated one-year price objectives - include Intrustional Business Ma-chines, 150, General Electric, 125 to 135, Johnson & Johnson, 75, J. P. Morgan, 85 to 90. Control Data, 60, Bristol-Myers, 85 to 90, Pfizer, 90 to 100, and Chase Manhattan, the low to middle 605

Also on the list of rec-ommended issues and their possible price targets are Clorox, the middle to upper 305. Illinois Power, 28, Cross & Trecker, 30 to 35, and Pioneer



COMMODITIES

SLOUGH ESTATES-FORECA FURTHER ADVANCE IN

Pre-tax Profits increase 20%

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this advertisement.

28th April, 1983

Earnings per Share increase 5%

> increase 25% Rental Income increase 21%

Dividends

Pre-tax profits of Slough Estates plc for the year ended 31st December 1982 rose by 20% from £13,467,000 to £16,166,000.

Dividends and earnings per share (pence)

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the countries in which the group operates and it was against this background that the profits advance was achieved.

the difficulties that beset the property market and, while there is some substance in these rather gloomy predictions in the shortterm, there is nevertheless scope for good results from wellselected and well-managed modern properties. We have the resources, the management and the experience to maintain a selective but aggressive programme of expansion taking full advantage of opportunities

Fortunately, the quality and location of our property portfolio combined with the reduction in interest rates enabled us to make continued

1978 1979 1980 1981 1982

There has been much talk about

as they arise.

progress during the year.

The gross book value of group investment properties and associates at 31st December 1982, taking into account an external valuation made on 30th September 1982, amounts to £498m after reflecting a revaluation deficit of \$12m. This compares with a previous book value of £479m.

United Kingdom

UK activity was generally comparable with 1981 with the construction of some 460,000 sq. ft. of new industrial floor space. Rental income rose by 15.5% as a result of new lettings, rent reviews and reversions.

Land amounting to 11 acres was acquired at Colchester and Avonmouth. At the year end 279,000 sq. ft. of industrial space was under construction and also an 18,000 sq. ft. office building in Woking. An investment has also been made in a joint venture with Dixons Commercial Properties Ltd. to redevelop the Royal Hotel site in Slough.

Business conditions deteriorated in Australia particularly in Melbourne but conditions in

Sydney are somewhat better and a prime 25 acre industrial site has been acquired in the suburb of Silverwater.

In Brussels the office property at Rue du Luxembourg was sold. Despite very difficult trading conditions the Canadian company's real estate activities continued to progress with net rental income increasing by 30% and 200,000 sq. ft. of industrial buildings being built.

In the United States conditions were generally unfavourable with very high interest rates and an oversupply of property available to too few prospective tenants.

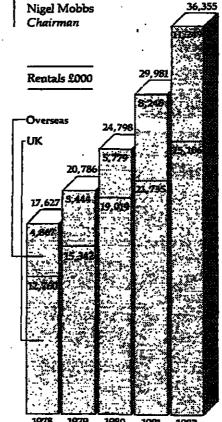
Prospects

Whilst it is still too early to signal the end of the recession which has afflicted all the countries in which the group invests there are clear signs of improving confidence by business particularly in the United Kingdom and United States evidenced by an improving level of enquiries and their conversion to lettings.

Since the rate of recovery may vary from country to country it remains difficult to predict accurately the outcome for 1983.

GH Britain's leading industrial property owners and

However, the group is in a very strong position thanks to the quality and location of its property portfolio and the strength of its balance sheet. I am therefore confident that we will be reporting a further advance in profits for the



Base Lending Rates

ABN Bank Barclays 10 % BCC1 ... 10 % Consolidated Crds 101/2% C. Hoare & Co*10 % Lloyds Bank 10 % Midland Bank ... __ 10 % Nat Westminster 10 % . 10 % Williams & Glya's ... 10 %

Saxon offer extended to May 10

Only 2 per cent of Saxon Oil's shareholders had accepted Clyde Petroleum's share swop offer by Tuesday's second closing date. The Saxon board withdrew its recommendation for the merger to go ahead after discovery of oil in a North Sea block in which it has a half share. Clyde held almost 10 per cont of Saxon's chara before it cent of Saxon's share before it made its offer. The offer is now being extended until May 10. The terms value Saxon's shares at 123p against a market price of 153p.

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27/28 Lovat Lane, London EC3R 8EB Telephone 01-821 1212 The Over-the-Counter Market

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Copies of this Prospecties, having attached thereto the documents referred to in paragraph 13(g) of Appendix III, have been delivered to the Registrar of Companies for registration.

This Prospectus contains particulars given to comply with the regulations of the Council of The Stock Exchange for the purpose of giving information with regard to Boase Massimi Pollitt ple ("the Company"). The Directors have taken all reasonable care to ensure that the facts stated herein are true and accurate in all material respects and that there are no other material facts the contains of which would make misleading any statement herein whether of fact or of opinion. All the Directors accept responsibility accordingly.

Application has been made to the Council of The Stock Exchange for the whole of the share capital of the Company, issued and now being issued, to be admitted to the Official List.

BOASE MASSIMI POLLITT plc

(Incorporated in England under the Companies Acts 1948 to 1976 with Registered No. 1468528)

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of 1,514,081 Ordinary Shares of 25p each at a minimum tender price of 280p per Share, the price tendered being payable in full on application

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

encies, in terms of billings, in the United Kings

Billings and Profits

YEAR TO 31ST DEC	EMBER	BILLINGS		RETAX*	PROFIL/(LOSS) AFTER TAX®	EARNENCS PER SHARE*
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1981 · ·		32,695		25	133 💝 🖰	280
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1983 (fareca	4)		:	1,350	608	11.79

Offer for Sale Statistics Based on the minimum tender price of 280p per Share

Number of Ordinary Shares of 25p each in issue	5,152,507
Market capitalisation	£14.4m
Earnings per Share (based on 5,152,507 Shares)—; - for the year ended 31st December, 1982 - forecast for the year ending 31st December, 1983	6.06p 11.79p
Price earnings multiple - historic - forecast	46.23 23.71
Net annual dividend per Share - forecast for the year ending 31st December, 1983	4.5p
Gross dividend yield	2.3%

before extraordinary items and amortisation of goodwill.

tfor the bases on which earnings per Share have been calculated for the five years ended 31st Dec 1982, see Note 5 to the Historical Cost Statement of Consolidated Profit and Loss in Appendix II. year ended 31st December, 1983, a tax rate of 55 per cent. has been assumed.

see also "Growth in billings and profits" in the letter from the Chairman of the Company set out

CREATIVE AWARDS 1980-83

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Cannes Film Festi	ival	Hollywood R
3 Gold Lions 3 Silver Lions	3 Bronze Lions 1 Diploma	Awards 6 Certificates
British Television Awards		Irish Advertis
2 ITV Awards 3 Best Series Awards 11 Gold Arrows	10 Silver Arrows 8 Bronze Arrows 8 Diplomas	1 World Winner J UK National W

Design & Art Directors Association International Film & TV 1 Gold Award 5 Silver Awards

Radio & Television

5 Diplomas

Festival of New York

1 Gold Award

SHARE CAPITAL

Issued and now being issued fully paid Authorised £1,500,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each £1,288,126.75

ed at any time thereafter. The procedure for application together with an application form is set o at the end of this Prospectus.

At the close of business on 14th April, 1983 the Company and its subsidiaries (in this document referre on 14th April, 1983 the Group had aggregate each balances of £833,693.

CENTRAL OFFICE OF

INFORMATION

Fire Prevention

QUAKER

Sugar Puffs Harvest Crunch

Warm Start

Golden Oaties

Scotts Porage Oats

United BISCUITS

Crime Prevention

MANPOWER SERVICES Training Services

CLIENTS

CADBURY SCHWEPPES

Smash Instant Potato

	Criss-Cross
46.2x	COURAGE
23.7x	J. C. Draught
	Courage Best Bitter
45-	John Smith's Yorkshire
4.5p	John Smith's Lager
2.3%	Hofmeister Lager
	
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SONY (UK) Tapes FISHER-PRICE Toys and Games ARCYLL FOODS Presto Supermarkets AM000 New Product Developmen BRITISH RAIL GILLETTE ZR Dendoran Iordan's Toothbrushes Paper-Mate Pens CHANNET 4 TELEVISION Programme Advertising NARISCO Jacobs Club Trio Butlins Holidays NALCO General Advertising

BRITISH TELECOM

TOYOTA

Cars and Vans

DIRECTORS AND ADVISERS

DERECTORS	Martin Boase John Brighton Webster David Alfred Batterbee John Christopher Powell David Sillars Cowan Timothy Charles Cox Geoffrey Douglas Carter Peter Ivan Jones, All of 12 Bishop's Bridge Road, London W2 6AA
SECRETARY AND RECISTERED OFFICE	Geoffrey Douglas Carter, 12 Bishop's Bridge Road, London W2 6AA
ESUINC HOUSE	Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited, 23 Great Winchester Street, London EC2P 2AX
STOCKEROKERS	Rowe & Pinnan, City-Gate House, 39-45 Finsbury Square, London EC2A 1JA
	Dixon Wilson & Co., Chartered Accountants, Gillett House, 55 Basinghall Street, London EC2V 5EA
	Macfarlanes, Dowgate Hill House, London EC4R 2SY
SOLICITORS TO THE OFFER FOR SALE	Freshfields, Grindall House, 25 Newgate Street, London EC1A 7LH
PRINCIPAL BANKERS	Barclays Bank PLC, 8/9 Hapover Square, London W1A 4ZW
RECEIVING BANKERS	Barclays Bank PLC, New Issues Department, P.O. Box 123, Fleetway House, 25 Farringdon Street, London EC4A 4HD
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ADVERTISING EFFECTIVENESS AWARDS 1980-82

Grand Prix Winner 1982 The Big John Campaign – a study of TV advertising in the beer market Client: Courage

REGISTRARS AND Barolays Bank PLC,

TRANSFER OFFICE Registration Departmet Cheshire WA16 9EU

Consumer Goods - Established 1982 The Big John Campaign - a study of TV advertising in the beer market Client: Courage

m, Radbroke Hall, Knutsford,

Special Category 1982 Fust Prize Home Protection - how advertising helps fight

Client: Central Office of Information

Consumer Goods & Services - Direct response 1980 The Launch of Tjaereborg Rejser Client: Tjaereborg Rejser

The following is a copy of a letter from Mr. Martin Boase, Chairman of Boase Massimi Pollitt plc

The Directors, Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited

27th April, 1983

I am writing to give you the background and history of Boase Mamimi Pollitt plc ("the Company"). The Company is a holding company whose task is to manage its principal subsidiary, the advertising agency The Boase Massimi Pollin Partnership Limited ("BMP" and "the Agency").

The Agency plans, concrives and executes advertising for companies mostly in the field of consumer spods and services. Over 70 per cent. of BMP's operating income comes from commission carned on buying advertising space and time for its clients. The rest of its income is received in the form of fees for

buying advertising space and time for its clients. The rest of its income is received in the form of fees for preducing press and TV advertisancents and various other marketing and advertising services. In 1982 two thirds of the Agency's media billings were to television.

Our achievement since the Agency began in 1968 has been organic growth in billings, without acquisition, from £800,000 in our first year to £36.4 million in 1982. Our success has come through a new approach to the production of effective advertising; this has combined the production of of a new agency structure with a clearly-defined antitude towards attracting and keeping talented employees based on a belief that a wide spread of shareholding amongst the staff can be a strong motivating force in a service business.

We have always aimed, when a suitable time arrived in the Company's development, to obtain a listing for its Shares. Of a total Group staff of 155, over 70 own Shares in the Company and a substantial part of the Agency Executive Directors' wealth is represented by their shareholdings. The Group has now reached an appropriate size for a listing to be obtained, thus allowing the shareholders to realise part of their wealth and the Company to raise additional funds. The funds raised by the Company will partly be used to repay outstanding loan stock and partly to increase the working tapital of the Company and thus help achieve the continuing organic growth we anticipate.

Further, obtaining a public listing will give us better access to capital markets for the purpose of expansion or acquisition atthough we have no acquisition in mind at the moment. As you will see from the rest of this letter we see organic growth —an increased market share—as our priority in continuing to

I will cover below our history, structure, growth, reputation and prospects ending with our profit

HISTORY

Brown & Poison

Founded in 1968

Helbnann's Mayonnaise Knorr Cubes & Sauces

The Agency started in 1968 with two advantages. The first was that the members of the founding group, then described in the Sunday Times as the biggest breakaway this country's advertising industry has ever seen, were already working together for one of the largest American advertising conglomerates. So the group knew each other well and worked well together.

The second, and more important, advantage that BMP enjoyed was that it started with an idea. A point of view. A coherent set of beliefs about advertising.

A practical way of resolving the advertising problem

At the heart of these beliefs lay a conviction that really effective advertising must be both relevant and outstandingly distinctive. We saw a practical way of resolving the problems which so often lead to the twin pitfalls of the brilliantly irrelevant or the blandly sound advertising solutions which agencies were offering their clients. This involved a new agency structure, one that embraced analytical and numerate skills and, in equal measure, intuitive and creative talents. It was this structure that was to become the template for a whole generation of new agencies throughout the 1970's and affect the shape of many of those that were already well established.

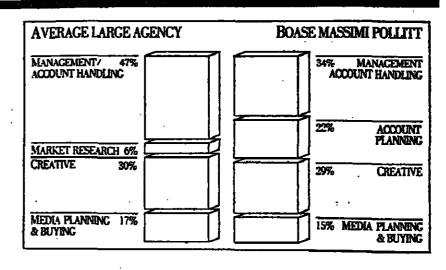
Perhaps it is for this reason that BMP has been variously described as "one of the most important professional influences on educatising charing the past ten years" in the magazine Campaign (in April 1983), as "the flower of British creationty" by Marketing magazine (in April 1983) and was seen by other advertising agencies as "universally admired" in a survey to the Financial Times in January 1981.

THE STRUCTURE

BMP pioneers account planning

The main new element introduced into its structure by BMP was called the account planner. The planner brings not simply research, but also the use of data, into every stage of advertising development as a third partner for the account handler and creative team. As one commentation wrote, planning "represents a more efficient and purposeful use of research and, as several agencies have dismonstrated, at its best it can provide a sensitive rationality that adds rather than hinders creativity and expands rather than narrows the options open to the advertiser" (Campaign September 1981).

As important here is the effect of the new structure on the resources of the Agency. The breakdown by those of the salaries of professional employees of the average large agency in 1981 as compared with those of MMP is the control of MMP is the control of MMP.



(Source the Institute of Practitioners in Advertising ("IPA"). "Large Agency" here makes one with more than £20 million billings per

The main impact is not to affect the resources devoted to creative and media buying functions but to reduce the proportion employed in account handling.

Consistent graduate recruitment/Home-grown management

The recruitment of account planners from among numerate and broadminded graduates has been a pre-occupation of the Agency for the last thirteen years. We have taken on several every year without fail. Some hundreds of man-hours are devoted to the task of graduate recruitment of both planners and account handlers each year. In 1983 over 2 per cent. of all those who expect to graduate from universities in the United Kingdom have applied to BMP for a job. Our policy of consistent recruitment even in difficult coordinate three has had its reward in that five of the ten new Directors of the Agency appointed

If people are the stuff of any service industry, then BMP has managed consistently to attract new talent from the universities through its reputation, through what it stands for, and also through its attitude towards equity participation.

BOASE MASSIMI POLLITT plc (continued)

SHARE OWNERSHIP

Widely spread staff shareholding

The Company has always believed that one of the ways of attracting and keeping talented people in through share-numership. We believe we have the most widely spread equity of any substantial unquoted agency in the United Kingdom, taking into account our Group Share Participation Scheme. We also believe we were the first substantial unquoted agency to introduce such a scheme under the provisions of the Finance Act 1978. As I have said, over 70 employees out of a total staff of 155 own Shares in the

High top management stability

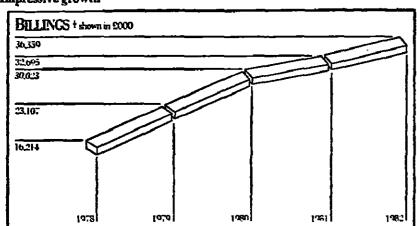
We believe that, in an industry that has a reputation for constant coming and going, our top management stability has been remarkable; all but one of the eight Directors of the Company were with the Agency in 1975.

Having built this structure and recruited and motivated the staff, what success has the Agency achieved?

GROWTH

Here are some of the key features of our growth and the nature of our client list (the full list is printed at Our billings have increased steadily over the last five years, and, in that period, at over twice the rate of

Impressive growth



†See description of "Turnever" in Appendix II under Accounting Folioses

Features of client list

☐ The client list started from a base of food and drink advertisers with companies such as Cadbury Schweppes, Courage and Unigate, but has since become much more varied with durables, services, and automotive, retail and H.M. Government business well represented — we have demonstrated the versatility of our skill.

□Our largest client represents 13 per cent. of total billings and this is spread over several brands. Here is a breakdown of BMP's currently expected billings by clients for 1983:

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£1-6501130%	3
(2-J MILLION	
EL-EMILLION	
LESS THAN O MILLION	10

□ Nearly all of BMP's clients are household names. Advertising is central to their businesses and they make sophisticated demands on their agencies.

☐ About half our clients have been with BMP for 5 years or more – we have relationships that endure. Many large multi-brand advertisers use more than one agency; two thirds of our clients fall into this category, thus we have had to measure up to constant competitive comparison.

☐ More important, two thirds of our multi-brand clients have given us additional brands since they first came to us - the ultimate test of a successful partnership

□ In recent years growth in billings has come both from entirely new clients and from the additional brands mentioned above - clearly we do not rely simply on our existing client base.

Of the 70 or so brands that we handle for our clients, 27 were first advertised through BMP - this is perhaps why, in a survey in the Financial Times in January 1981, competitors saw us as "brand architects, not brickleyers".

If that is the bare bones of our client list and of how we have grown, what of the flesh of our reputation? Where do we lie in the market-place? How do others view us?

REPUTATION

Industry respect

In a poll published in Campaign in June 1980, BMP came top on aggregate when the heads of the largest 75 agencies in the United Kingdom were asked to choose an agency to handle a range of different types

1.	BOASE MASSIMI POLLITT	49
2.	COLLETT DICKENSON PEARCE	41
3.	SAATCHI AND SAATCHI	38
4.	TBWA	30
5.	DAVIDSON PEARCE	. 27
6.	ALLEN BRADY AND MARSH	26
7.	J. WALTER THOMPSON	24
8.	CEERS CROSS	23
9.	ABBOTT MEAD VICKERS SMS	19
10.	D'ARCY-MACMANUS AND MASTUS	18

We know the competition respects us.

Top TV Award winner

In the creative arena the Agency has been a leading award winner. We have won more top awards for our TV work than any other agency in the United Kingdom and Europe over the last ten years. John Webster, our Executive Creative Director, is the only man twice to have won the Grand Prix at the Cannes Advertising Film Festival. BMP has been judged to have produced the best television campaign in the Design and Art Directors Association Awards in six of the last eight years. Its fong-running campaigns for Courage and John Smith's beer and Cadbury's Smash Instant Potato have been interesticable reclaimed.

Top Effectiveness Award winner

Creative pioneering is one thing, but what of results? The IPA, the agency trade association, has recently started to sponsor its Advertising Effectiveness Awards in order to encourage new and better ways of relating advertising to its results. BMP has won four of the ten first prizes so far awarded, including the Grand Prix in 1982: no other agency has matched this performance.

Brilliance and results'

Campaign, while noting that certain agencies won creative awards and others the Advertising Effectiveness Awards, concluded in February 1982 that BMP was the only "dual Victor Ludorum". Or, again, Campaign has said "the leading agency in getting this balance is of course BMP. By blending imaginative creative work with rigorous research of its ads it has managed to after the assumption that there is an eternal dichotomy between brilliance and results" (February 1982).

We are succeeding in doing what we set out to do in starting the Agency fifteen years ago. Stanley Pollitt

One of the key architects of the new kind of agency we pioneered was Stanley Pollitt who sadly died in 1979 at the early age of 49. That BMP has prospered so well since that time and shown such stability is the greatest complument that could be paid to his ideas, his vision and his hard work over the first eleven

MANAGEMENT

Directors of the Company

MARTIN BOASE, aged 50, was one of the founding partners of BMP in 1968. Before that he was Assistant Managing Director of Pritchard Wood & Partners. He divides his time more or less equally between senior client contact and the management of the Agency. He also takes part in industry activity as a Council member of both the IPA and the Advertising Association. **Executive Creative Director**

JOHN WEBSTER; aged 48, was one of the founding partners of BMP. He took over as Creative Director from Gabe Massimi in 1971, when the latter returned to the United States. He has won more creative advertising awards over the past ten years than anyone else in Europe. He received the President's Award of the Design & Art Directors Association in 1982 for his contribution to advertising. Joint Managing Director

DAVID BATTERBEE, aged 42, was one of the founding partners of BMP and its first Account Director. His experience ranges over most advertising fields; his particular areas of responsibility include the Creative and Production Departments. Joint Managing Director

CHRISTOPHER POWELL, aged 39, joined BMP six months after it started and has overall responsibility for about half the clients of the Agency together with the organisation of new business

Director of Account Planning DAVID COWAN, aged 39, originally worked at Pritchard Wood & Partners and J. Walter Thompson before joining BMP in 1971.

Media Director TIMOTHY COX, aged 37, trained with the founding partners of the Agency at Pritchard Wood & Partners and also worked at FCB, Crawfords and McCann-Erickson where he became media director. He joined BMP in 1975.

Finance Directo GEOFFREY CARTER, aged 37, is an accountant who worked for nearly four years as financial controller at two other advertising agencies before joining BMP as Finance Director and Company Secretary in 1977.

Non-executive Director PETER PONES, aged 40, is a statistician, and was one of the founding partners of the Agency. He left the Agency at the end of 1976 and returned in 1980 in a non-executive capacity. He is now involved in financial and corporate planning.

Directors of the Agency

The Board of the Agency consists of 22 Directors, of whom 8 are the Directors of the Company. The

CREATIVE DIRECTOR	ALANTILBY
CROUP ACCOUNT DIRECTORS	JAMES FLAMMER MECHAEL HOCKNET JOHN MAKNICH THOMAS RODWELL MARTYN SANDY
PLANNING DIRECTORS	ROSS BARY LAMES BES CHRISTOPHER COWP PAUL FELDWICI
DIRECTOR OF TV TIME-BUYENG	CHRISTOPHER DENVIS
MEDIA PLANNING DESECTOR	STEPHEN HARRIESON

Agency Staff BMP's commitment to planning in advertising development results in more or less equal numbers of people being involved in the three skills: creative, account handling and account planning. The breakdown of the staff

MANAGEMENT	7
ACCOUNT HANDLING	22
ACCOUNT PLANNING	
CREATIVE	23
Media	ī5
PRODUCTION	22
ACCOUNTS/ADMINISTRATION	27
SECRETARIES	19
TOTALSTAFF	155

Continued Management Shareholding

The 20 Directors of the Agency who currently hold Shares in the Company will continue to do so after the Offer for Sale. Save with the consent of the Board of the Company, they have agreed not to sell any further Shares in the Company in the next 12 months and to accept further restrictions on sales over the following 3 years. Further information is set out in paragraph 13 (i) of Appendix III. The Company will continue to operate the 1978 Group Share Participation Scheme. In a service industry we believe this represents a sound formula for the future prosperity of the Company and its staff.

INDUSTRY PROSPECTS

Advertising has defied recession

The way that advertising expenditure has held up in the United Kingdom during the current recession has been widely acknowledged, if never fully or satisfactorily explained. We believe that it has been caused not by one but by a whole collection of factors.

Lessons learnt from 1974 recession

First, it is widely accepted that companies which adopted the long view in the recession of 1974 and kept up their advertising investment for the most part enjoyed long-term sales rewards.

Importance of the brand franchise

Second, the maintenance of advertising expenditure has gone hand in hand with an increasing recognition that the brand franchise represents, if not for accounting purposes, one of a company's most important assets. The change in the balance of economic power from the manufacturer to the retailer has only served to highlight brand strength as central to the manufacturer's commercial health.

Importers spend to buy UK market share

Third, importers' share of the United Kingdom market has increased radically in the last decade, and they have not been slow to realise the importance of advertising as part of the price of market entry. This in turn has provoked some home-based manufacturers to increase their advertising to sales ratios in order to

High advertising expenditure growth in UK

Fourth, during the 1970's the United Kingdom enjoyed a very high growth rate of per capita expenditure on advertising, although this expenditure still lags significantly behind the United States.

London becomes centre of innovation in advertising

Last, and not necessarily least. London became during the last decade the centre of innovation in advertising—the place where dull formula solutions were questioned and where creativity was paramount, provided it had a clear commercial focus. London became the Athens of advertising.

If these are some of the reasons why the advertising business has prospered, will it go on doing so? Significant real growth in advertising expenditure forecast for 1983 and 1984

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1982	2%	115
[983	5%	117
1984	75	13%

ACCRECATED STITES

FORECAST PERCENTAGE

The Advertising Association has been producing its Forecast of Advertising Expenditure on a quarterly basis for 6 years. Given the difficulties of predicting the precise quarterly levels of movement in the inflation rate, this forecast has shown a high degree of accuracy. The latest Forecast for the period to the end of 1984 highlights consumer expenditure and company profits as the two main determinants of advertis ing expenditure and has this to say: "We expect total advertising expenditure to rise significantly in real terms for the rest of 1983, to establish its highest ever level, and to continue to grow thereafter in real terms at least until the end of 1984".

BMP'S PROSPECTS

Big growth opportunity for BMP

We believe for a number of reasons that BMP is particularly well-suited to prosper within this scenario. It has a short client list with the capacity to grow without running into the problem of account conflict (e.g. an agency cannot handle two competing brands of dog food). Our analysis of advertising expenditure monitored by MEAL (Media Expenditure Analysis Limited) for 1982 reveals that BMP is still unrepresented in 131 of the 150 categories where substantial advertising budgets exist. Total advertising expenditure in these categories amounts to over £1.4 billion per annum. This is our potential market. Increasing our market share represents our first priority.

Importance of television and its developments Television is the most dynamic part of the media scene. BMP has the experience with Sony, Prestel, Channel 4 and Anglia Television as clients to keep abreast of the latest developments. As I have said, in

1982 (wo-thirds of the Agency's media billings were in television.

Main contender for Top Ten In 1983 Research Services Limited, on behalf of BMP, carried out an independent and anonymous survey amongst a sample of the top 100 United Kingdom advertisers, measured in billings. This shows that in the overwhelming view of those who responded BMP is, among comparable agencies, the agency most likely to enter the Top Ten in the next few years. The Report also shows that BMP is highly rated for "outstanding creative work based on sound strategic thinking".

International services

In certain product fields usage and attitudes cross national boundaries. In others they do not. Eating and and credit cards. The development of advertising themes, where suitable, to exploit common attitudes demands international co-operation. For this reason BMP belongs to the Univas Agency Network with its headquarters in France and representation throughout Europe. This is a federation of agencies which handles international advertising.

BMP has leasehold offices in Paddington which have been substantially altered to meet BMP's sperific needs and to leave room for considerable expansion of the business within the existing premises. They were described by Creative Review in October 1982 as "almost the definitive persion of what an agency ought to look like"

Improved efficiency

We believe that our present efficiency can be maintained and improved as we grow. To this end we have recently installed our own computer which should further improve our performance in the areas of client billing, media buying and market research analysis.

Growth in billings and profits

Taking the past 5 years as a whole, the Agency has seen considerable growth in both billings and profits, which we are confident will continue. The Group's trading performance was severely affected in 1979 and 1980 by losses in two subsidiaries which were not engaged in the mainstream business of the Group and whose activities have now been discontinued, with the exception of one account which was absorbed into the Agency. Two additional factors combined to produce a loss in 1979, a lengthy television strike and substantially increased bonuses paid to senior employees to take advantage of the lower rates of income tax introduced that year. Bonuses remained high in 1980 as the main means of profit participation but were reduced thereafter following the introduction of the Group Share Participation Scheme. In the light of the listing of the Company's Shares, and in the expectation of dividends, the payment of these bonuses has now been discontinued and will not be revived.

The Company had a good year in 1982 with profits sharply up on the previous year. Increased billings came from a combination of new accounts gained and higher expenditure from existing clients. As a result the Company entered 1983 with its best ever base for business expansion.

1983 has started well and in addition to our active involvement for existing clients the Agency has won new accounts, notably Holmeister Lager, and new projects from United Biscuits and Argyll Foods. The

new accounts, notably Holmeister Lager, and new projects from United Biscuits and Argyll F Agency has the record, the substance and the contemporary structure to achieve further growth.

Profit and divideod forecast

On the basis of the actual figures for the first three months of 1983 and estimated figures for the remaining nine months, and in the absence of unforeseen circumstances, the Directors of the Company forecast Group pre-tax profits for 1983 of not less than £1.35 million. On the basis of this forecast we expect to pay dividends totalling 4.5p per Share for 1983.

Further details relating to the forecast, the assumptions on which it is based, earnings per Share and dividends are set out in Appendix L.

We believe BMP has a great future. Yours faithfully.

Martin Boare

APPENDIX I · PROFIT AND DIVIDEND FORECAST · ASSUMPTIONS AND LETTERS

The Directors of Boase Massimi Pollitt plc forecast that, in the absence of unforeseen circumstances, the profit before taxation of the Company and its subsidiaries ("the Group") for the year ending 31st December, 1983 will be not less than £1,350,000.

The profit forecast takes into account the results shown by the unaudited management accounts for the three months ended 31st March, 1983 and, in relation to the remaining nine months to 31st December, 1983, the forecast is made on the following principal bases and assumptions:

(a) the advertising income from the Group's existing clients is the aggregate of billings committed during April and May and forecast for the remainder of the period, supported by written confirmation of intentions from all elients

(b) wage and salary costs take account of current actual levels, together with planned increases in sonnel and anticipated salary increments; and

(c) other operating costs reflect current levels, together with an allowance for inflation.

the Group, its major clients and suppliers, including media outlets and production organization will not be affected by serious or prolonged industrial disputes; and

(b) the net result of gains of new business and losses of existing business will not adversely affect the forecast of client billings and net income.

2 EARNINGS PER SHARE

On the basis of the profit forecast mentioned above and on the assumption of a corporation tax rate of 55 per cent. the cardings attributable to the ordinary shareholders before extraordinary items and amortisation of goodwill, will be not less than £607,500. Based on 5,152,507 Ordinary Shares in issue, this would give earnings per Share of not less than 11.79p.

3. DIVIDEND PORECAST

It is the present intention of the Directors to declare an interim dividend of 2.0p net per Share, to be paid in October 1983, and, subject to the achievement of the above profit forecast, to recommend a final dividend of 2-5p net per Share, payable in May 1984, a total of 4-5p net per Share in respect of the current financial year ending 31st Detember, 1983. This total dividend would represent a gross yield of 2-3 per cent, on the minimum tender price of 280p and would be covered 2-62 times on the basis of the forecast earnings per Share.

4. LETTERS ON PROFIT PORECAST

The following is a copy of a letter from Dixon Wilson & Co., Auditors to the Company, concerning the profit forecast.

The Directors, Boase Massimi Pollitt plc, 12 Bishop's Bridge Road,

three months ended 31st March, 1983.

26th April, 1983

London W26AA Gentleme We have reviewed the accounting policies and calculations for the historical con profit forecast, for which the Directors are solely responsible, of Boase Massimi Pollist pic and its subsidiaries ("the Group") for the year ending 31st December, 1983, set out in the Offer for Sale Prospectus to be dated

In our opinion the forecast, so far as the accounting policies and calculations are concerned, has been properly compiled on the basis of the assumptions made by the Directors and set out in Appendix I of the Offer for Sale Prospectus referred to above and is presented on a basis consistent with the accounting policies normally adopted by the Group.

27th April, 1983. The forecast includes the results shown by the unaudited management accounts for the

Yours faithfully, Dixon Wilson & Co. Chartered Accountants

The following is a copy of a letter from Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited, concerning the profit forecast.

The Directors Bosse Massimi Pollitt plc. 12 Bishop's Bridge Road.

London W26AA

Dear Sirs. We refer to the profit forecast in respect of the year ending 31st December, 1983 set out in the Offer for Sale Prospectus to be dated 27th April, 1983. We have discussed this forecast and the bases and assumptions on which it is made with officers of your Company and we have considered the letter addressed to yourselves from Dixon Wilson & Co. regarding the accounting policies and calculations

We consider that the profit forecast (for which you, as Directors, are solely responsible) has been made after due and careful enquiry.

Yours faithfully, For Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited

R. M. L. Webb Director

APPENDIX II · ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

The following is a copy of a Report made by the Auditors and Reporting Accountants, Dixon Wilson & Co., Chartered Accountants.

26th April, 1983

26th April, 1983

The Directors, Boase Massimi Pollitt pic and Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited

We report that Boase Massimi Pollitt ple ("the Company") was incorporated on 24th December, 1979 as a private limited company. It was re-registered as a public company on 18th April, 1983. The Company was formed to acquire the whole of the issued share capital of The Boase Massimi

Pollitt Partnership Limited ("BMP"). The result was that the Directors' and employees' interest in BMP increased from 32 per cent. to 82 per cent. BMP is the principal trading company and has been under the management control of those

individuals who are now Directors of the Company throughout the period covered by our report. Accordingly the financial statements set out hereafter are those which would have been reported had the Company and its subsidiaries as presently constituted ("the Group") been in existence during the period 1st January, 1978 to 31st December, 1982 covered by our report ("the Period"). All principal subsidiary companies are wholly owned by the Company and are listed below. Subsidiaries currently operating and which operated during the Period:
(a) BMP, which changed its name from The Boase Massimi Pollitt Univas Partnership Limited on Ind

February, 1982 (b) FGDS Designs Limited ("FGDS")

(c) Billeo Limited ("Billeo") Subsidiaries operating during the Period which have now ceased trading:

(a) Direct Advertising Limited ("DAL") (b) Print Promotions and Publicity Limited ("PPP") which changed its name to Alacrity Finance (Paddington) Limited on 26th October, 1982.

The accounting periods covered by the report in respect of the Group are: 24th December, 1979 to 31st December, 1982 The Company 1st January, 1978 to 31st December, 1982 BMP, FGDS & PPP DAL 4th August, 1978 to 31st December, 1980 1st January, 1982 to 31st December, 1982

DAL ceased its business activities on 31st December, 1980 when its business was transferred to BMP and PPP. PPP disposed of the major part of its business on 17th September, 1982 to a third party, Splicecourt Limited.

Other subsidiary companies owned are dormant and did not trade during the Period. We were not auditors of the Company and its subsidiaries prior to the period commencing 1st January, 1982. The consolidated accounts for the four preceding years were reported upon without qualification by Leonard Bloch & Co., Chartered Accountants. We were the auditors of the Company diaries, other than Alacrity Finance (Paddington) Limited, for the year ended 31st

The financial statements which are set out below are based on the audited accounts. They have been prepared under the historical cost convention and after making such adjustments to the audited

In our opinion, the financial information set out below under the heading "Historical Cost Accounts" gives a true and fair view of the profit and loss and source and application of funds for the periods stated and of the state of affairs of the Company and the Group as 24 31st December, 1982 ording to the historical cost convention and the accounting policies stated below. Further, in our opinion, the abridged supplementary current cost accounts set out below have been

properly prepared in accordance with the policies and methods described to give the information required by Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 16. No audited financial statements have been prepared in respect of any period since 31st December, 1982.

HISTORICAL COST ACCOUNTS

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The significant accounting policies adopted in arriving at the financial information set out in this report are as follows: . BASIS OF CONSOLIDATION The consolidated financial information includes the accounts of the Company and its subsidiary companies. The financial information has been reported upon as if the Group as currently constituted had been in existence for each of the accounting periods under review.

2 TURNOVER Turnover represents the invoice values charged to clients in respect of commissionable media and production expenditure, plus advertising fees, which are included in turnover at six and two-thirds times the fees actually charged to clients, in accordance with the industry's standard practice. Within the advertising industry "turnover" is usually referred to as "billings".

3. COST OF SALES Cost of sales is a notional figure representing the difference between turnover as defined above and net

4. COSTS INCURRED ON BEHALF OF CLIENTS These represent costs incurred on behalf of clients after provision for any amounts which may not be recovere

Fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Expenditure on leasehold improvements has been depreciated at a rate calculated to reduce the value Furniture and equipment 10% to 20% Electronic equipment 207 Motor vehicles 25% to nil at expiry of the lease. Depreciation of other assets is calculated to write-off the cost of the assets over their experted lives on a straight line basis. The annual rates of depreciation are as the table above.

6. LEASING CHARGES Rentals payable under finance and operating leases are written off to profit and loss account as incurred. Future obligations under leases are dealt with by way of note to the financial statements.

7. Processes
BMP funds its pension liabilities through an externally managed pension scheme which is subject to regular actuarial valuations. The scheme is funded by contributions from the employees and from BMP.
Contributions are charged against profits in the year in which the payments are due. 8. COODWILL ARISING ON CONSOLIDATION

Goodwill on consolidation arises from the excess value of the consideration paid over the fair value of the net tangible assets of BMP at 7th January, 1981. This amount is being written-off over a period of 20 years from that date. 20 years is considered by the Directors to be a conservative assessment of the economic life of the goodwill. 9. DEFERRED TAXATION Provision is made for taxation deferred by capital allowances on eligible expenditure only where, in the

opinion of the Directors, there is a reasonable expectation that such taxation will become payable in the foreseeable future. Provision is made for other material short-term timing differences. STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS

		177	1717	עפרו	CARN	
		£000	ERGG	Æ00	A000	2000
Turnover Cost of sales		16,214 (13,742)	23,107 (19,423)	30,023 (25,280)	32,695 (27,635)	36,359 (30,507)
Operating income Operating expenses	1	2,472 (2,222)	3,684 (3,711)	4,743 (4,603)	5,060 (4,767)	5,852 (5,010)
Operating profit/(loss) Loan Stock interest	2	250 —	(27)	140 (7)	293 (68)	842 . (52)
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation Taxation	3	250 (78)	(27)	133	225 (92)	790 (478)
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities after taxation and before extraordinary items and amortisation of goodwill Extraordinary items Amortisation of goodwill	•	172	(27)	91	t33	312 (75) (42)
Profit/(loss) after extraordinary items and amortisation of goodwill	<u> </u>	172	(27)	91	(42) 91	195
Earnings per Share	5	2.91p		1.21p	2.80p	6.56

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NOTES TO STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS Years ended 31st December

	1978	1979	1980	7981	196
	····	£000	<i>2</i> 000	£000 ·	. 300
. OPERATING EXPENSES	-				
include:					
Depreciation	95	107	103		
Lease rentals	13	- 69	169	119	12
Auditors' remuneration	7	11		230 .	214
Directors' emoluments (See Note 1(a))	#07	748	15	14	18
Interest payable:	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	'70	716	685	_ 721
Bank overdraft	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
Other	· · · · · ·	43	65	87	73
	7 .	· - .	, - .	. 10	17
Payments to Group Share Participation Scheme	• · · -		40	.42	41
and are shown after crediting:					٠.
Bank interest	. 13	. 3	. 22	_	. 14
Rent receivable	 -	4	26	.52	. 66
Premium on sale and lease back of leasehold				, ,_ ,	• -
premises		· . 	26	_	_
Note 1(a)				•	
Directors' emoluments include:					
Salaries	287	286	345	407	445
Boauses	33	302	305	138	106
Pension contributions	. 87	160	66	140	161
Compensation for loss of office					9
					·

2. LOANSTOCK INTEREST		•		-	•			·.	
Interest on the 121/2% Secure	Loun S	tocks issued	l by the Go	Dinaziv to for	mer sha	rchold	ers of	RMP	in.
exchange for BMP shares.								-	<u>.</u>

3. TAXATION The charge for taxation repre	ents United Kingd	om corporatio	n tax on the	e profits and	comprises	
	4. 2.5	1973	लख	1980	1981	1982
	<u>. </u>	£000	.A000	£000)	.DOD	
Current tax Prior year adjustments		73 5		42	92	486
-		78		. 42	92	478

The charge for current tax was reduced by the net effect of (a) excest capital allowances over depreciat (b) stock relief and (c) expenditure, mainly entertaining, which is not eligible for tax relief.

• • •								_	1		
4. EXTRAORDINARY	TEAS		: .			·	٠.	٠.			
					1978	٠.	1979	٠.	1980	1981	1982
<u> </u>	<u> </u>		× .		. £800	·	£000	•••	£000	. £000	£000
Closure costs of PP. Write-off of trade in Write-off of format	P, less tax	ration t		:	Ξ		=	.5.	Ξ.	<u> </u>	55 10
TATRE-OLI OLI TOTALIA	KOLI CUSIS			٠.	 -		=		- -		75

5. EARNINGS PER SHARE The earnings per Share calculation ons are based on the profit on ordinary activities after taxation and before extraordinary items and amortisation of goodwill and on the 4,752,507 Ordinary Shares deemed to be in issue during each period, adjusted to take account of the changes in capitalisation referred to in Note 8 under "Called Up Share Capital". For the three years ending 31st December, 1980 a deduction has been made of £70,000 less tax from the relevant profit figures in each of those years as a notional adjustment to equate with the full effect of the interest on the 12½% Secured Loan Stocks issued on the acquisition of BMP by the Company.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF SOURCE AND APPLICATION OF FUNDS

Years ended 31st December

			-	:	
	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
	£006 .	Alon	£000 .	. 2000	£000
SOURCE OF FUNDS		10.		4 1 3 1	
Profit/(loss) before taxation	- 250	. (27)	133	225	790
Extraordinary items before taxation	_		· —	· -	. (85
Items not involving the movement of funds:			:		14. 4
Depreciation	95	107	103	119	124
Profit on sale of fixed assets	. (15)	(23)-	(12)	(2)	. (1
Loss on write-off of assets		 .	·	_	. 48
Re-allocation of results between years	42	(42)	<u> </u>		<u>. – </u>
FUNDS GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS	372	15	224	342	876
FUNDS FROM OTHER SOURCES	•		•		٠.
Issue of Shares	· —	٠ ـــ ١	190	110	_
Sale of fixed assets/investments	142	169	48	21	1 8
Taxation recovered	_	·: — .	· :	· · · 	36
Hire purchase forance	·	<u> </u>		- 75	
in the second of	514	184	462	548	920
APPLICATIONS		******			
Company formation costs	_		(10)	· -	_
Acquisition of BMP:				· · · · · ·	
Cash element	· -	· —	. —	(300)	_
Costs		' · · ·	(11)	`—	_
Loans to trustees of Employee Share	•	•		. :	
Purchase Schemes	(44)	·	(21)		-
Purchases of fixed assets	. (484)	(214)	(260)	(272)	(56
Dividends paid by BMP	(36)	(70)	(70)	(17)	·
Redemption of loan stock				(96)	(96
Taxation paid Purchase of investment	(182)	(128)	(172)	(33)	• •
				(10)	
NET (OUTFLOW) INFLOW OF FUNDS	(232)	(228)	(82)	(180)	768
Represented by:			٠.	7.1	
CHANGES IN WORKING CAPITAL -	•	•		-	
Increase/(decrease) in costs incurred on behalf		• -			
of clients	. 41	77	246	(201)	. (†11
Increase in debtors	679	668	292	484	237
(Increase)/decrease in creditors	(636)	(762)		452	(639

(211)

(232) (228) (82) (180)

483

(915)

1,267

BALANCE SHEETS At 31st December, 1982

Movements in net liquid funds:

Decrease in deferred hire purchase liability...

(Decrease)/increase in each and bank balances

		Notes		The Co	m-page*	The Group
	<u> </u>				. £000	£000
XED ASSETS		5 <u>-</u> - 2 - 1	i and a second			
mangible asset					· —	756
angible assets		2	表 流流 医海		·:	714
ovestment		2 .	100		1,461	·
				•	1.461	1,470
URRENT ASSETS						,,,
losts incurred on behalf o	of clients	4			_	168
rade debtors					_	3,365
undry debtors and prepa	yments .	5			1::	. 421
Sue from subsidiary com					290	·. —
ash at bank and in hand	•				1	729
		1 N 1			. 292	4,683
URRENT LIABILITIES						
ank overdraft		•			_	. (78)
rade creditors	•				· —	(3,043)
ther creditors and accrua	als	.: · · ·			(118)	(442)
urrent last					_	(507)
ther taxes and social seco	urity costs	* *	a and provided			(569)
ue to subsidiary compan				· · · ·	(218)	·
			-, · · · · · ·	• • • • •	(336)	(4,639)
ET CURRENT ASSETS/LIA	BILITIES)				(44)	- 44
OTAL ASSETS LESS CLIREE	NTLIABILITIES				1,417	1,514
reditors: Amounts fallis	ng đọc after m	OLG				
ıan one year	·	. 6			(271)	(331)
ET ASSETS			6.47 (4.7)		1,146 -	1,183
epresenting: APITAL AND RESERVES				2.7	: ۲	
	. 1885 y 1985 w	_			891	. 891
ALLED UP SHAKE CAPITAL		.	+			
ETAINED PROFITS	<u> </u>	9	 	 	255	292
HAREHOLDERS FUNDS					1.146	1,183

NOTES TO THE BALANCE SHEETS

1. INTANGBLE FIXED ASSET			
			900
Cost of purchased goodwill on acquisition of BMP			840
Deduct: Amounts written off to date	·		
			756
2. TANGBLE FOOD ASSETS			
Z DAWGREFIND KOKIS			
Z INVERSITATION AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN	Carr	Deposition	Notherk who
Z DEGRAPANEN	Carr 5000	Depreciation 2000	
Short leasthold property improvements			
Short leasthold property improvements Furniture and equipment	5000	6000	359
Short leasthold property improvements	513	154	359 350

The majority of the Group's private motor whickes are subject to finance lessing and are excluded from tangible fixed assets and the obligation to pay rentals is not included in the balance sheet as a liability. Future hire purchase and lease rental payments are dealt with under Note 12 below "Lease

3. INVESTMENT

The Company's investment in its subsidiaries is stated at cost and represents consideration comprising cash, loan stock and the nominal value of the Company's Shares issued in exchange for the shares of BMP. Imra-Group indebtedness is included under current assets and current flabilities.

4. COSTS INCLUDED ON REHALF OF CLIENTS

These represent unbilled advertising production costs incurred on behalf of clients after provision for its which may not be recovered

5. SUNDRY DEBTORS AND PREPAYMENTS

7. DEFERRED TAXATION

These include an interest free loan of £29,975 to a company in which Mr. Martin Boase is interested as director and shareholder. It has subsequently been repaid. There are also included loans of £125,360 to the trustees of the BMP 1972 and 1977 Employee Share Purchase Schemes in connection with share purchases which have subsequently been repaid.

6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

These comprise: ig balance of loan stocks which are severally secured over the Company's assets

	6000
12W% Scurred Loan Stock 1986/88	271
121/7% Secured Loan Stock 1981/83	96
•	367
Deduct: Amounts due within the next 12 months and included in corrent liabilities	(96)
Balance	271

The balance is payable by three equal lastalments commencing 1st July, 1984. It is proposed to repay all monies due under the loan stocks out of the proceeds of the issue of Shares referred to in the Prospectus to monies due under the loans be dated 27th April, 1983.

(b) Hire purchase commitments at 31st December, 1982 amounted to £110,000 of which the interest element amounted to £21,000. Of the net balance, £29,000 is dealt with as a current liability and £60,000 as a deferred liability.

No provision for deferred taxation is made in the Company and Group balance sheets. The potential

		The Company	The Comp
		6080	200
Accelerated capital allowances			. 182
Tax effect of timing differences (deferred asset)		(12)	(12
Potential liability at 31st December, 1982	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		170
Action in Attendance of the Control			

At 31st December, 1982 the authorised share capital of the Company was 900,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, and the issued share capital was 891,096 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, all of which were fully paid or credited as fully paid. The following changes have taken place since 31st December, 1982. On 26th April,

	New 25p Shares insued or conditionally allotted to Morgan Nominees Limited	
(a) each of the existing Ordinary Shares of £1 each wa sub-divided into 4 Ordinary Shares of 25p each	-	3,564,384
(b) the authorised share capital of the Company was increased t £1,500,000 by the creation of 2,400,000 Ordinary Shares of 25peach	of 	-
(c) 93,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each were issued fully pai for cash to Morgan Nominees Limited	d 93,000	_
(d) conditionally upon listing, 1,219,123 Ordinary Shares of 25, each were allotted credited as fully paid by way of capitalisation of share premium account to the shareholders of the	•	
Company on the register immediately prior to such allotment	31,000	1,188,123
 (e) conditionally upon listing, 276,000 Ordinary Shares of 25g each were allotted nil paid to Morgan Nominees Limited 	276,000	
	400,000	4,752,507
		5,152,507

Accordingly, at 26th April, 1983 the authorised share capital of the Company is £1,500,000 divided into 6,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each. Of these 3,657,384 Ordinary Shares of 25p each are issued and fully paid or credited as fully paid and 1,495,123 Ordinary Shares of 25p each are allotted conditionally on listing. Following completion of the Offer for Sale 5,152,507 Ordinary Shares of 25p each will have been issued fully paid or credited as fully paid.

9. RETAINED PROFTIS				Yests ended 3 to	December
	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
	£000	£000	£000	£000	ĐƠ
At beginning of period	510	612	515	. 6	97
Profit/(loss) after taxation	172	(27)	91	91	195
Dividends payable by BMP	(70)	(70)	(17)	·—	
	612	515	589	97	292
Deduct: Retained profits arising prior to acquisi-					
tion of BMP by the Company			(583)	. – .	<u>.</u> . –
At end of period	612	515 .	6	97	.292

LL CONTINCENT LIABILITY

BMP had a contingent liability in respect of an obligation to settle any unpaid liabilities of the trustees of the BMP 1972 and 1977 Employee Share Purchase Schemes established for the benefit of certain of its employees. The underlying Shares have been distributed to the employees and the Schemes have been terminated. The Directors do not agricipate that any such liability will be incurred by that company.

12. COMMITMENTS

Capital expenditure commitments

At 31st December, 1982 BMP had authorised the purchase of a computer and related peripheral equipment and software for approximately £300,000. There were no other capital commitments authorised at 31st December, 1982.

The future payments to which the Group is committed in respect of motor vehicles and plant at 31st December, 1982 under finance leases and hire purchase are as follows:

	·		rance rance name parte	
<u> </u>	· ·		£000	.6009
Years ending 31st Detember:				
	1983		175	. 39
	1984		147	36
	1985		101	30
	1986			·. 5
			423	. 110

The Group's main business premises at 12/14 Bishop's Bridge Road, London W2 are occupied under two leases expiring in late 1991, at a current aggregate annual rental of £159,104. The rents payable under these leases are subject to review in late 1984.

under these leases are subject to review in late 1984.

In addition, there are obligations under leases of two separate premises which are no longer used for the Group's business, with expiry dates in 2004 and 2005 respectively, at a current aggregate annual rental of £105,000, subject to rent reviews in 1984 and 1985 respectively and five yearly thereafter. BMP's leasehold interests in these premises are currently being offered for sale. One of the premises is partly sub-let to tenants under short term leases at current net aggregate annual rentals of £30,600, the remainder being currently occupied by a tenant under a periodic tenancy terminable by the tenant on 26 weeks' notice. The net rent currently payable to BMP under that periodic tenancy is £35,420 per annum.

CURRENT COST ACCOUNTS

CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Years ended 31st December

	Notes	1961	1962
		£000	4000
Tunder	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	32,695	36,359
Historical cost profit before trinsition and interest. Convent cost operating adjustments	2	390 (70)	918 (79)
Current cost operating profit before toration and interest George adjustment Inserest payable less interest receivable	1	320 24 (165)	839 27 (128)
Current out profe before taxation Taxation		179 (92)	738 (478)
Corrent cost after transition Exercacytionary items Amortisation of goodwill		\$1 (42)	260 (75) (42)
Residence out profit		45	143
Current cost earnings per Share	3	1.83p	5,47

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

At 31st December, 1982

	None	£000
FIXED ASSETS		
Intangible assets		756
Tangible assets	4	966
		1,722
MONETARY WORKING CAPITAL	<u> </u>	451
OTHER NET LIABILITIES	<u> </u>	(738
NET ASSETS		1,435
Representing:		
CAPITAL AND RESERVES		
CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL		891
RETAINED RESERVES	5	544
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	•	1,435

NOTES

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The current cost financial statements have been prepared in compliance with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No. 16. Accounting policies differing from those used in the historical cost accounts

are noted be

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation adjustmen!

The value to the business of tangible fixed assets has been restated by the application of appropriate government indices to the historical cost of the assets. Depreciation has been calculated by applying price indices to the historical cost depreciation in order that the charge represents the value of the tangible fixed assets consumed during the period. No revision has been made to the existing asset lives, which are considered to be adequate.

Cost of sales adjustments
No cost of sales adjustment is considered to be appropriate.

Monetary working capital adjustment

Monetary working capital includes all debtors and creditors arising from the trading activities of the
Group, together with the element of the cash balances required to support the business operations.

The gearing adjustment represents that proportion of the current cost operating adjustment which relates to those operating assets which have been financed by borrowings rather than by shareholders' funds. It is calculated by applying to that adjustment the proportion which the average net borrowings bear to the total net borrowings and shareholders' funds.

2. CURRENT COST OPERATING ADJUSTMENTS

	£000	£000
Monetary working capital	37	35
Depreciation	26	43
preciation red assets disposals	7	1
	70	79
		

3. EARNINGS PER SHARE Earnings per Share have been calculated on earnings of £260,000 (1981 £87,000) divided by 4,752,507 Ordinary Shares.

	Gross current replacement cost	Depreciation		el curren ment cos
	6000	£000		£00
Short leasehold property improvements	683	199	-	48
Furniture and equipment	919	442		47
Motor vehicles	22	17		
	1,624	658		96
5. RETAINED RESERVES				
			1981	198
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			£000	£Х
At beginning of period			6	31
Revaluation surpluses			253	7
Monetary working capital adjustment			37	3
Gearing adjustment			(24)	(2
Retained profit for period			45	14

317

544

At end of period Yours faithfully,

Dixon Wilson & Co

APPENDIX III · STATUTORY AND GENERAL INFORMATION

1. The Company

(a) The Company was incorporated in England on 24th December, 1979 as a private limited company under the Companies Acts 1948 to 1976 with Registered No. 1468528 and with an authorised share capital of £100 divided into 100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each.

(b) Pursuant to a reorganisation ("the Reorganisation") effected on the 15th October, 1980 and 6th and 7th January, 1981, the Company (which had been formed for this purpose) acquired the whole of the issued share capital of BMP. The principal reason for the Reorganisation was to ensure that the Agency was controlled by its employees. Immediately prior to the Reorganisation, Eurocom S.A. ("Eurocom" formerly called Univas S.A.) owned just over 50 per cent. of the issued share capital of the Agency, while a further 19 per cent. was owned by former employees of the Agency, and by the executors of Stanley Pollitt's estate ("the Executors"), 22 per cent. by employees of the Agency, and the balance by the trustees of the 1972 and 1977 Employee Share Purchase Schemes.

The effect of the Reorganisation was that:

(i) Eurocom received (as consideration for the shares in BMP acquired from it by the Company) £300,000 in cash, £287,500 121/4% Secured Loan Stock 1981/83 issued by the Company and 162,000 Shares in the Company representing 18.2 per cent. of its then issued share capital ("the Eurocom

(ii) former employees of the Agency (including Mr. P. I. Jones) and the Executors received, in total, £270,864 12½% Secured Loan Stock 1986/88 issued by the Company;

(iii) Eurocom granted Mr. M. Boase options to acquire, subject to certain conditions, the Eurocom Shares. These options have been exercised in part resulting (together with other disposals by Eurocom to employees of the Company) in Eurocom owning, immediately prior to this Offer for Sale, just under 3 per cent. of the issued share capital of the Company. The Shares in the Company currently owned by Eurocom will, with Mr. M. Boase's consent, be included in the Shares which are the subject of this Offer for Sale,

(iv) full-time employees of the Agency together with the trustees referred to in (b) above owned 729,096 Shares representing just under 82 per cent. of the issued share capital of the Company; and (v) the Company's authorised share capital was £900,000 divided into 900,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, of which 891,096 were in issue.

(c) On 30th March, 1983 the Company resolved to re-register as a public company and, in connection therewith, amended its Memorandum and Articles of Association. The Company was re-registered as a public company on 18th April, 1983.

(d) On 26th April, 1983:

(i) each of the existing issued Ordinary Shares of £1 each was subdivided into 4 Ordinary Shares of

(ii) the authorised share capital of the Company was increased to £1,500,000 by the creation of 2,400,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each;

(iii) the Directors of the Company were generally and unconditionally authorised pursuant to section 14 of the Companies Act 1980 to allot relevant securities (as defined in that section) up to a maximum nominal amount of £608,904 during the period expiring on 25th April, 1988;

(iv) authority was given to the Directors of the Company to allot the Ordinary Shares referred to in (v) below and (e) (i) and (e) (ii) below, to allot Ordinary Shares in respect of a rights issue in favour of holders of Ordinary Shares (notwithstanding that, by reason of such exclusions as the Directors might deem necessary to deal with problems in any overseas territory, in connection with fractional entitlements or otherwise, the Ordinary Shares to be issued were not offered to all of such holders in proportion to the number of Ordinary Shares then held by each of them) and otherwise to allot Ordinary Shares for each provided the maximum number of Ordinary Shares so allotted (other than as referred to above) does not exceed that number being five per cent. of the authorised but unissued share capital of the Company following completion of this Offer for Sale in each case as if section 17 (1) of the Companies Act 1980 did not apply, such authority to expire not later than 25th April, 1988;

(v) 93,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each were issued to Morgan Nominees Limited ("Nominees") (a wholly owned subsidiary of Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited ("Morgan Grenfell")) on the terms of the Application Letter referred to in paragraph 4(a) below at a price of 365.86p per Share (subject to upward adjustment in accordance with the terms of that Letter).

(c) Also on 26th April, 1983 and conditionally upon permission being granted, subject only to the posting of Letters of Acceptance, for the ordinary share capital of the Company to be admitted to the Official List of The Stock Exchange:

1,219,123 Ordinary Shares of 25p each were allotted credited as fully paid by way of capitalisation of share premium account to the shareholders of the Company on the register immediately prior to such allotment;

 (ii) 276,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each were allotted nil paid to Nominees pursuant to the Offer for Sale Agreement referred to in paragraph 4(b) below; and (iii) the Company adopted new Articles of Association.

(f) The present authorised share capital of the Company is therefore £1,500,000 divided into 6,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each of which 3,657,384 are issued and fully paid or credited as fully paid and 1,495,123 Ordinary Shares of 25p each have been allotted conditionally as aforesaid. Following completion of the Offer for Sale, the issued share capital of the Company will be £1,288,126.75 comprising 5,152,507 Ordinary Shares of 25p each all of which will be fully paid or credited as fully paid.

(g) Save as disclosed in paragraphs 1(d)(v), 4(a) and 4(b) of this appendix

- (i) no share or loan capital of the Company or any of its subsidiaries is under option or agreed conditionally or unconditionally to be put under option;
- no share or loan capital of the Company or any of its subsidiaries has within two years rediately preceding the date hereof been issued or is proposed to be issued fully or partly paid either for cash or for a consideration other than eash; and

(iii) no commissions, discounts, brokerages or other special terms have been granted by the Company or any of its subsidiaries in connection with the issue or sale of any part of the share or loan capital thereof within two years immediately preceding the date hereof.

(h) \$47,493 Ordinary Shares will remain authorised but unissued following the Offer for Sale. No material issue of Shares of the Company (other than to shareholders pro rate to existing holdings) will be made within one year of the date of this Prospectus without the prior approval of the Company in General Meeting. No issue of Shares will be made which would effectively after the control of the Company or the nature of its business without the prior approval of the Company in General Meeting.

2. The Subsidiaries

(a) The Company has the following subsidiaries other than dormant subsidiaries:

(i) BMP. This company was incorporated in England on 11th June, 1968 as a private company and has an issued share capital of 18.420 'A' Ordinary Shares of 1p each, 18,420 'B' Ordinary Shares of 1p each and 3 720,840 Deferred Ordinary Shares of Ip each, all of which are owned by the Company. It is the principal trading company in the Group.

FGDS Designs Limited. This company was incorporated in England on 30th December, 1975 a private company and has an issued share capital of two Ordinary Shares of £1 each owned by BMP. It trades as a design studio.

Alacrity Finance (Paddington) Limited (formerly called Print Promotions and Publicity Limited). This company was incorporated in England on 7th January, 1977 as a private company and has an issued share capital of two Ordinary Shares of £1 each owned by BMP. Its business has been in the area of promotional printing, publishing and design. Its assets were sold to a third party, Splicecourt Limited, on 17th September, 1982.

(iv) Billeo Limited. This company was incorporated in England on 5th November, 1981 as a private company and has an issued share capital of 2 Ordinary Shares of £1 each issued for each to and owned by BMP. Its business consists of producing rough television commercials for research purposes. (h) The Company has the following dormant subsidiaries; they are all private companies incorporated in

Name	Pate of uncurporation	Insued share capit		
Jogmend Limited	27th May, 1976	2 Ordinary Shares of £1 each		
Alacrity (Finance) Limited	10th January, 1974	2 Ordinary Shares of £1 each		
BMP Investments Limited	7th June, 1976	2 Ordinary Shares of £1 each		
Direct Advertising Limited	4th August, 1978	2 Ordinary Shares of £1 each		
BMP Media Limited	13th February, 1980	2 Ordinary Shares of £1 each		

te³ Specials Design Limited, This company was incorporated in England on 5th January, 1973 as a private company and is dormant. It has an issued share capital of 100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, of which 70 are owned by BMP.

S Pro Forma Balance Sheet

There is set out below a pro forma balance sheet based on the Group historical cost balance sheet at 31st December, 1982 us set out in the Accountants' Report in Appendix II adjusted in respect of: (a) receipt of gross proceeds of \$1,008 million from the subscriptions for Ordinary Shares referred

(h) payment of estimated costs of £330,000 in connection with the Offer for Sale, the costs to be charged against share premium account; and

(c) repayment of amounts due to loan stock holders of £366.698; and (d) adjustments to the Company's issued share capital as referred to in paragraphs 1(d) and 1(e) above.

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FIXED ASSETS		
Intangible asset	756	756
Tangible assets	714	714
	1,470	1,470
CURRENT ASSETS		
Costs incurred on behalf of clients	168	168
Trade debiors	3,365	3,365
Sundry debtors and prepayments	421	421
Cash at bank and in hand	729	1,130
	4,683	5,084
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Bank overdraft	(78)	(78
Taxation	(507)	(507)
Trade creditors	(3,043)	(3,043)
Other creditors	(1,011)	(915)
	(4,639)	(4,543)
NET CURRENT ASSETS	44	541
	1,514	2,011
Greditors: Amounts falling due		• •
after more than one year	(331)	(60)
NET ASSETS	1,183	1,951
Representing:		
CAPITAL AND RESERVES		
CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	. 891	1,288
SHARE PREMIUM ACCOUNT	· _	. 371
RETAINED PROFITS		293
SHAREHOLDERS FUNDS	1,183	1,951

4. Offer Arrangements

(a) By an application letter (the "Application Letter") dated 26th April_1983 accepted by the Company, Morgan Grenfell applied for 93,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each at a price of 365.86p per Share (subject to upward adjustment of 6.67p per Share for every 5p by which the Striking Price exceeds the minim tender price per Share under the Ofter for Sale) to be issued to Nominees. The price per Share payable by Morgan Grenfell under the Application Letter reflects the fact that Nominees subs in the capitalisation issue referred to in paragraph 1(e) (i) above.

(b) By an agreement (the "Offer for Sale Agreement") dated 26th April, 1983 between (1) certain shareholders of the Company (being the 19 Executive Directors of BMP, Mr. P. I. Jones and Eurocom) (the "Vendors") (2) the Directors of the Company, (3) the Company, and (4) Morgan Grenfell, Morgan Grenfell has agreed, subject to Listing (as defined therein) not later than 6th May, 1983:

(i) to purchase from the Vendors a total of 1,007,149 Ordinary Shares of 25p each allotted to them (conditionally upon Listing) upon renounceable letters of allotment and 106,932 Ordinary Shares of

25p each already in issue; (ii) to subscribe for a total of 276,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each;

in each case at a price per Share of 5.6p below the Striking Price and to offer the same, together with the 93,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p already issued to it as referred to in paragraph 1(d) (v) above and the 31,000 Ordinary Shares of 25p each allotted to it (conditionally upon Listing) as a result of the capitalisation referred to in paragraph 1(e) (i) above, for sale to the public by tender at a minimum tender price of 280p per Share.

The Vendors undertake in the Offer for Sale Agreement to indemnify the Company and its subsidiaries in respect of certain charges to taxation.

The Vendors have agreed to pay Morgan Grenfell a fee of £5,000 (excluding value added tax) and the Company has agreed to pay Morgan Grenfell a fee of £75,000 (excluding value added tax) out of which Morgan Grenfell is to pay Rowe & Pitman's fee and its own legal expenses. Morgan Grenfell is to pay an underwriting commission of 11/4 per tent. of the minimum tender price. All other costs, charges and expenses of and incidental to the Offer for Sale and the application for Listing, including the expenses of printing, advertising, capital duty and its own legal expenses, will be borne by the Company.

The Vendors (other than Eurocom which is to sell all of its Shares in the Company under the Offer for Sale Agreement) have agreed with Morgan Grenfell not to dispose of any further Shares in the Company for a period of one year without the prior written consent of Morgan Grenfell, which consent will not be

5. Directors' and Other Interests

(a) The interests (as defined in the Companies Act 1967 (as amended) and taking into account the capitalisation issue referred to above) of the Directors in the share capital of the Company before and

	BEFORE OFFER FOR SALE			AFTER O	Œ	
	Beneficial nã. nl Shares		Non-beneficial na. of Shares	Bereficial no. of Stares	*	Non-banglicial no. of Shares
M. Boase	937,509	18.2	651,919*	703,132	13.6	651,919
J. B. Webster	527.776	10.2	53,333	395,832	7.7	53,333
D. A. Batterbee	515,573	10.0		386,680	7.5	
J. C. Powell	454,154	8.8		340,616	6.6	
D. S. Cowant	260,736	5.0		198,656	3.9	
T. C. Cox†	221,237	4.3		169,032	3.3	
C. D. Carter†	121,648	2.4		94,240	1.8	
P. I. Jones	92,752	1.8	598,586*	69,564	1.4	598,586

(b) The Directors are not aware of any other shareholding which, immediately after the Offer for Sale, will amount to 5 per cent. or more of the Company's issued share capital.

(c) No Director has or has had any interest in any assets which within two years immediately preceding the date hereof have been, or are proposed to be, acquired or disposed of by or leased to the Company or any of its subsidiaries and no contract or arrangement exists in which a Director is materially interested and which is significant in relation to the business of the Company or any of its subsidiaries taken as a

6. Directors' Service and Consultancy Agreements

The following is a sun	nmary of the Executive Director	S SCIVICE AGREEMENTS	•
Directors	Date of commencement	Tem of Agreement	1983 Şalary
M. Boase	1st April, 1983	5 years	£60,000
J. B. Webster	1st April, 1983	5 years	£55,000
D. A. Batterbee	1st April, 1983	5 years	£45,000
J. C. Powell	1st April, 1983	5 years	£45,000
D. S. Cowan	1st April, 1983	5 years	.538,000
T. C. Cox	1st April, 1983	5 years	£38,000
G. D. Carter	lst April, 1983	2 years	£32,000

In addition to their basic salaries, the Company contributes to The Boase Massimi Pollitt Partnership Limited Directors' Retirement and Death Benefits Plan of which all the executive Directors are

The aggregate emoluments of the present Directors of the Company during the last financial year ended Its December, 1982 were £397,570, it is estimated that the aggregate emoluments payable to those Directors in the current financial period ending on 31st December, 1983 under the arrangements in force at the date hereof will be £474,993, to include per diem fees payable to Mr. P. I. Jones for consultancy services provided at the request of the Board of the Company.

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In the period from 1st April, 1981 to 31st March, 1982 the aggregate amounts or benefits paid to the 17 promoters of the Company comprising salaries, bonuses, pension contributions, motor car expenses, B.U.P.A. contributions and notional interest were £562,856 and the comparable figure for the relevant 13 promoters during the period 1st April, 1982 to 31st March, 1983 was £579,010. All the promoters were full-time executives of BMP while in receipt of these amounts or benefits.

7. The BMP Employee Share Participation Plan ("The Scheme")

The Scheme, set up to take advantage of the provisions of Chapter III of Part III of the Finance Act 1978 ("the" 1978 Act"), is governed by a Trust Deed dated 30th December, 1980 as amended by a Memorandum dated 2nd February, 1983. The current trustees of the Scheme are Mr. M. Boase, Mrs. M. Hackl and Mr. P. I. Jones ("the Trusters"). The Scheme has the approval of the Board of Inland Revenue. Subject to the requirements of the 1978 Act (as amended) the amount of monies to be provided to the Trustees by the Company is decided by and at the discretion of the Board of the Company.

All employees of the Agency qualify as beneficiaries under the terms of the Scheme if they have been full-time employees throughout both the financial period out of the profits of which monies are provided by the Company to the Trustees to enable the Trustees to purchase Shares in the Company and the preceding financial period,

For the purposes of allocating benefits, employees who participate in the Scheme are divided into three categories dependent on their level of salary. The ratio of benefits as between each category is subject to change at the instance of the Board of the Company and with the consent in writing of the Board of Inland

Since the Scheme was introduced, the Trustees have acquired 112,235 Ordinary Shares of £1 each in the Company representing 12.6 per cent. of the Company's share capital (prior to the capitalisation issue referred to in paragraph I(e) above). The corresponding percentage after completion of the Offer for Sale

The total number of current staff of BMP (excluding the current Directors of the Company) beneficially interested through the Scheme in Shares in the Company is 65.

Under the provisions of the Scheme, as amended, no beneficiary may receive benefits in excess of the maximum benefit permitted by Section 58 of, and Paragraph 1(4) of Schedule 9 to, the Finance Act 1978, as amended from time to time.

8. Articles of Association

The Articles of Association of the Company adopted by it conditionally upon Listing as referred to in paragraph 1(e)(iii) above contain provisions, inter alia, to the following effect:

Upon a show of hands every member present in person shall have one vote and upon a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one vote for every Share held by him. These provisions are subject to any special terms as to voting upon which any Shares may for the time being be held: there are no such terms at present. . . . Rights of Shares

Subject to the provisions of the Companies Acts, the rights attached to any class of Shares may be modified, abrogated or varied either with the consent in writing of the holders of three-fourths of the issued Shares of that class or with the sanction of an extraordinary resolution passed at a separate general meeting of the holders of the Shares of that class.

Retriuring Powers

Subject to the provisions of the Articles of Association, the Directors may exercise all the powers of the Company to borrow money but shall restrict the borrowings of the Company and exercise all voting and other rights or powers of control exercisable by the Company in relation to its subsidiaries for the time being ("the subsidiaries") so as to secure (but as regards the subsidiaries only in so far as by the exercise of such rights or powers of control the Directors can secure) that the aggregate amount at any one time outstanding in respect of money borrowed (as such expression is defined in the Articles of Association) or secured by the Company and the subsidiaries and owing to persons outside the Group shall not without the previous sanction of the Company in general meeting exceed an amount equal to three times the (a) the amount paid up or credited as paid up on the share capital of the Company; and

(b) the amount standing to the credit of the reserves of the Company and the subsidiaries after adjustment as more particularly set out in the relevant Article

(a) The fees of the Directors shall be such sums as may from time to time be determined by the Company in general meeting. The Directors may be paid all reasonable expenses incurred by them in attending meetings of the Directors or committees of the Directors or general meetings or otherwise in or about the

(b) Any Director who is appointed to any executive office or who serves on any committee or who otherwise performs services which in the opinion of the Directors are outside the scope of the ordinary duties of a Director may be paid in addition to any Directors' fees such remuneration by way of salary, percentage of profits or otherwise, as the Directors may determine.

(c) Subject to the provisions of the Articles of Association, the Directors on behalf of the Company may pay a gratuity or pension or allowance on retirement to any Director, whether or not he has held any other salaried office or place of profit with the Company or to his widow or dependants and may make contributions to any fund and pay premiums for the purchase or provision of any such gratuity, pension

(d) Save as otherwise provided by the Articles of Association, a Director shall not vote or be counted in a quorum in respect of any contract, arrangement or any other proposal whatsoever in which he has any material interest otherwise than by virtue of his interests in Shares or debentures or other securities of or otherwise in or through the Company. The Company may by ordinary resolution suspend or relax such provisions to any extent or ratify any transaction not authorised by reason of a contravention thereof. (e) Any Director may or any firm in which he is interested may act in a professional capacity for the Company (otherwise than as auditor) and he or such firm shall be entitled to remuneration for

ial services as if he were not a Director (f) A Director shall not be required to hold any Shares in the Company by way of qualification.

(g) A Director shall not be required to retire by reason of his having attained the age of seventy or any other age and section 185 of the Companies Act 1948 shall not apply to the Company. 9. Material Contracts

The following contracts (not being contracts entered into in the ordinary course of business), have been entered into by the Company and its subsidiaries within the two years immediately preceding the date

(a) An Agreement dated 17th September, 1982 made between Print Promotions and Publicity Limited (1) BMP (2) Splicecourt Limited (3) and Joint Marketing & Publishing Services Limited (4) whereby the assets of Print Promotions and Publicity Limited (now called Alacrity Finance (Paddington) Limited) were sold to Splicecourt Limited.

(b) The Application Letter referred to in paragraph 4(a) above.

The Offer for Sale Agreement referred to in paragraph 4(b) above.

The Directors have been advised that following completion of the Offer for Sale the Company will remain a close company within the meaning of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1970. Taxation indemnities have been given by the Vendors in favour of the Company and its subsidiaries under the Offer for Sale Agreement referred to in paragraph 4(b) above.

11. Premises

The following gives details of the premises occupied by the Group:

Location: 12/14 Bishop's Bridge Road, London W2 6AA. Description: Offices Size: 23,437 sq. ft. Tenure: Leasehold expiring in 1991, rent reviews every 7 years, next review 1984 Current Annual Rent: £159,104

Details of premises leased, but not occupied, by the Group are set out in Note 12 to the Balance Sheets in Appendix 11.

12. Working Capital

The Directors are of the opinion that the Company has sufficient working capital for its present requirements after taking into account the Company's existing bank balances and feelliules and the net proceeds of the Offer for Sale to be received by the Company.

(a) The expenses (excluding value added tax) relating to the Offer for Sale and the application for Listing are payable by the Company (save for a fee of £5,000 payable by the Vendors to Morgan Grenfell) and are estimated to amount to £330,000.

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(b) Of the 1,514,081 Ordinary Shares of 25p each the subject of the Offer for Sale, 1,114,081 are being made available by the Vendors (as defined in paragraph 4(b) above) and the halance comprises the Ordinary Shares of 25p each subscribed for by Morgan Grenfell pursuant to the Application Letter referred to in paragraph 4(a) above and the Offer for Sale Agreement referred to in paragraph 4(b) above and those conditionally allotted to it as a result of the capitalisation referred to in paragraph 4(e)(i) above. The amount payable on application on each Share is the amount tendered per Share by the relevant applicant, being not less than the minimum tender price. The net proceeds of the subscription of Ordinary Shares by Morgan Grenfell pursuant to the Offer for Sale Agreement, based on the minimum tender price, are estimated at £427,344, after deduction of those expenses of the Offer for Sale which are to be borne by the Company, and for each 5p by which the Striking Price exceeds the minimum tender price; the Company will receive a further £13,800 in respect of such Shares. These net proceeds will be used to repay all amounts outstanding under the 12½% Secured Loan Stock 1981/83 and the 12½% Secured Loan Stock 1981/83 and the 12½% Secured Loan Stock 1986/88 and for working capital. Loan Stock 1986/88 and for working capital.

(c) Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries has any litigation or claims of material importance pending or threatened against it. . (d) Morgan Grenfell has given and has not withdrawn its written consent to the issue of this Prospectus with the inclusion herein of its letter in the form and context in which it is included.

(e) Dixon Wilson & Co. have given and have not withdrawn their written consent to the issue of this Prospectus with the inclusion herein of their report and their letter in the forms and contexts in which

(f) Each of Leonard Bloch & Co., Research Services Limited, Campaign and The Advertising Association has given and has not withdrawn its consent to the issue of this Prospectus with the inclusion herein of the statements respectively made by them in the form and content in which they are included. (g) The above mentioned consents, the statement of adjustments made by Dixon Wilson & Co. in arriving at the figures set out in their report and giving the reasons therefor, copies of the Application Form set out at the end of this Prospectus and of the Special Application Form for the use of employees and the material contracts referred to in paragraph 9 above were attached to the copies of this Prospectus delivered to the Registrar of Companies for registration.

(h) The minimum amount which, in the opinion of the Directors, must be raised in respect of each of the matters specified in paragraph 4(a) of Part I of the Fourth Schedule to the Companies Act 1948 is:

(i) nil; (ii) nil; (iii) £366,698; and (iv) £60,646.

The proceeds of the issue of Shares to Nominees pursuant to the Application Letter amount to £340,349.80 (subject to upward adjustment as described in paragraph 4(a) above) and will be used for

(i) In accordance with normal industry practice (and as required by the various media owner trade associations), the Company maintains insurance against the possibility of clients defaulting on their obligations to the Company and to cover its obligations to the various media owners. In the year to 31st December, 1982, 85 per cent. on average of the Company's continuing obligations to media owners were insured in this way. Insurance is not taken in respect of H.M. Government business nor in respect of those clients who pay in advance of the Company incurring the obligation. The Company intends to continue this type of insurance.

(i) By an agreement dated 26th April, 1983, and in relation to the Shares in the Company owned by him immediately following this Offer for Sale, each of the Executive Directors of the Agency has agreed (save with the consent in writing of the Board of Directors of the Company, which consent will not be onably withheld after taking into account any exceptional circumstances):

(i)- not to dispose of any interest in any such Shares before the first anniversary hereof; (ii) not to dispose of any interest in more than 20 per cent. of such Shares before the second

(iii) not to dispose of any interest in more than 40 per cent. of such Shares before the third anniversary (iv) not to dispose of any interest in more than 60 per cent. of such Shares before the fourth

and to consult with and retain the Company's stockbrokers for the time being in connection with any such (k) Morgan Grenfell & Co. Limited is registered in England (No. 315841) and its registered office is at 23 Great Winchester Street, London EC2P 2AX.

(1) The financial information concerning the Company and its subsidiaries contained in this doc (1) The imaginal information concerning the company and its sustainers contained in this document does not amount to full individual accounts within the meaning of section 11 of the Companies Act 1981. Full individual accounts relating to each financial year to which the financial information relates have been or will be delivered to the Registrar of Companies. The additors have made a report under section 14 of the Companies Act 1967 in respect of each such set of accounts and each such report was an unqualified report within the meaning of section 43 of the Companies Act 1980.

(m) A Certificate of Exemption has been granted by the Council of The Stock Exchange pursuant to section 39 of the Companies Act 1948.

14. Documents for Inspection

The following documents or copies thereof may be inspected at the offices of Macfarlanes, Downste Hill House, London EC4R 2SY during usual business hours on any weekday (Saturdays and public holidays excepted) for a period of 14 days from the date of this document:

(a) the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Compteny;

(b) the audited accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries for the two years ended 31st December.

(c) the Directors' service contracts referred to in paragraph 6 above;

(d) the material contracts referred to in paragraph 9 above, (e) the Accountants' Report set out in Appendix II and the statement of ofjustments referred to these.

(f) the letters set out in Appendix I; and

(g) the written consents referred to in paragraph 13(d), (e) and (f) above.

Dated 27th April, 1983.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION

Requirements for Application ion form at the minimum terrier print of 200p per Share er

Applications must be made on the accompanying application form at the minimum tender prior of at any higher prior per Share being a whole multiple of 5p.
 Applications must be for a minimum of 100 Sharer and thereafter in the following multiples of Sharer.

x more than 1,000 Shares Over 1,000 and not more than 5,000 Shares

1.000 Share Over 5,000 and not more than 10,000 Shares Over 10,000 Shares Applications must be fodged with or posted to Barelays Bank PLC, New Isrner Department, P.O. Box 123, retway House, 25 Farringdon Street, London EC4A 4HD, so as to arrive in either case not later than 10 60 a m. on

3. Applications must be fodged with or posted to Barelays Bank P.C., New issues separament, r.C. Box 123, Fleetway House, 25 Farringdon Street, London ECAA APLD, so as to arrive in either case not later than 10:00 a m, on Wednesday, 4th May, 1983 (being the time of opening of the application list!

4. Each application count be accompanied by a separate cheque or backer's draft draws in stering on a branch in England, Scotland, Wales, Northern breamd, the Channel labridge of the Islend of a bank which is entire a member of the London or Scottish Clearing Houses or which has arranged for its chequest and banker's drafts to be cleared through the latitudes provided for the members of those Clearing Houses (and which mast bear the appropriate surving code number in the top right hand corner) made payable to "Barclays Bank P.C." and crossed "Net Negotiable", representing payatest to full at the application price. An application will not be considered unless these conditions are fulfilled. The right is reserved to present all cheques and banker's drafts for payatent on receipts, to retain Letters of Acceptance and surplus application monies pending clearance of the successful application. Discomplication and definery of an application monies pending clearance of the successful application. Discomplication and definery of an application form accompanied by a cheque will be honoured on first presentation; attention is drawn to the declaration on the application to that the cheque will be honoured on first presentation; attention is drawn to the declaration on the relation to that effect Applications will be irrevocable until 13th May, 1983. Photostat empires of application form to that the stime as constituting an invitation to him, nor should be in any terminary other than the United Kingdom may treat the Same as constituting an invitation to him, nor should be in any terminary other than the United Mingdom herrunder should suited by the section of the retevant territory such an invitation of the residence. Any person

Basis of Acceptance

Basis of Acceptance
Subject as aforested and as set out below, applications will be accepted on the following base:

1. All Shares for which applications are wholly or partly accepted will be sold at the tame price (the "Striking Price"), which will be not less than the minimum tender price of 200p per Share.

2. If applications are received for more than the total number of Shares offered, the Striking Price will not exceed the highest price it which sufficient applications (including applications as above that price) are received for the wall number of Shares offered but may be a price lower than such highest price. If applications are received for less than the total number of Shares offered but may be a price lower than such highest price. If applications are received for less than the total number of Shares offered, the Striking Price will be the minimum tender price of 250p per share. Subject to the foregoing, Morgan Grenfell will have complete discretion in deciding the Striking Price, and the base of allocation. In so allocation will be made in respect of applications at prices below the Striking Price.

3. Lip to 150,000 Shares, which will be allocated at the Striking Price, are reserved in the first instance for applications from employees of the Company and its subsidiaries other than pursuas, who have agreed to self Shares to Morgan Grenfell pursuant to the Offer for Sale. Such applications must be made on the special pash application forms which are being made available to such conclusives. These will specify the amount of money to be expended, rather than the dotther of Shares applied for, and will be valid provided that the sum so specified is not mare than \$10,000. In the event of excess applications being received from such employees, the basis of allocation among them will be determined by Morgan Grenfell, at its discretion.

The Striking Price and the basis of allocation will be amounted on or as ston as possible after 4th May, 1983.

General Acceptance of applications will be conditional on the whole of the share capital of the Company, issued and now being issued, being admitted to the Official Lim of The Stock Exchange and later than 12th May, 1983. Money paid in respect of all applications will be returned if such condition is not satisfied by that date and in the meanings will be retained by Barclays Bank PLC in a separate account.

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2. Renounceable Letter's of Acceptance are expected to be despatched to successful application by 9th May, 1983. If any application is not accepted, or is accepted for fewer Shares than the number applied for, or is accepted at a lower price than that rendered, the application money or the balance of the amount paid on application will be returned by choque through the post, in all cases without interest.

3. Letters of Acceptance will be remounceable up to 3.00 p.m. on 17th June, 1983. The Shares now being offered for sale will be registered free of stamp duty in the names of the purchasers or persons in whose favour Letters of Acceptance have been renounced, provided that, in the case of remonstation, Letters of Acceptance duty completed in accordance with the instructions contained therein are lodged for registration on or before 3.00 p.m. on 17th June, 1983. Share certificates will be despatched by first class post on 15th July, 1983.

4. Dealines in the Ordinary Shares of the Commons are expected to commence not later; have 11th May, 1983.

Dealings in the Ordinary Shares of the Company are expected to commence not later than 11th May, 1983.

All documents and cheques sent by post will be sent at the risk of the persons entitled therein.

Copies of this Prospectus are available from: Morgan Grenfell & Co. Rowe & Pitman,

Limited, City-Gate House, New Issue Department, 39-45 Finsbury Square, 21 Austin Friars, London EC2N 2AD. London EC2A 1JA

New Issues Department... P.O. Box 123, Fleetway House, Farringdon Street, London EC4A 4HD.

63 Colmore Row,

Bristol BS99 7A L

40 Com Street,

Birmingham B3 2BY.

and from the following branches of Barclays Bank PLC: 17 York Street. .Bardays International Limited 90 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow G2 5UQ.

4 Water Street, Liverpool L69 2DU. 415 Strand. London WC2R ONX.

Morgan Grenfell (Scotland) Limited, 35 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh EH2 2AD.

Manchester M60 2AU. Collingwood Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne NE77

3, 4 & 5 King Street, Reading RG1 2HD.

APPLICATION FORM

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Economic notebook

World recovery: a question of belief

The United States, Britain and investment and growth. We Germany are now clearly must work out a once-and-forleading a worldwide recovery. But is that recovery the full the world's slump?

the technical aiguments over foreign exchange intervention and the best way to cope with world debt problems, there is a fundamental difference of participating in the Williamsburg summit that is vital to the future of millions of people

One group, led by the Americans, believes that what has happened since 1979 is a recession like any other, though too deep for comfort. Once the adjustments have been made and inflation has been beaten, there is no reason why the natural, soundly based upturn of economies should not take them back to their old healthy state, with "normal" growth rates and "normal" levels of employment. Quite logically, those who believe this - and belief is the operative word in this divide – think that the best thing to do now is to smooth present difficulties a little and leave it to nature. We should not rock the boat with dramatic reform schemes, just when things are

starting to turn op. The other group, led by Japan and France, takes a far less optimistic position. They believe that the world economy with long-running reper-cussions. Output and trade will recover cyclically, but nowhere near enough to return to former long-term paths, to maintain the momentum of Third World development or o mop up unemployment.

One influential Japanese forecasting group, for instance, predicts that world output will grow an average of only 2.3 per cent a year for the rest of the eighties, high by historical standards, but pathetic by those of the sixties and

To cure the slump, we would bave to overturn a raft of new difficulties. We must stabilize currencies, whose volatile and illogical relationships multiply business uncertainty, stifle trade and promote protection. We must cut interest rates. particularly the high inflationsustained by the US budget deficit and now threaten to act as a permanent overhang of the inflationary era, inhibiting

all solution to the equally oneoff world debt and banking problems, which threaten to force many developing countries into long years of retrenchment and to shrink world liquidity permanently And we must make sensible long-term arrangements with oil-exporters and other commodity producers to prevent a new price upsurge from smo-

On this thinking, we shall simply end up in the stalemate of the thirties if we do not clear away the debris. Then, cyclical recoveries, especially in the United States, simply petered out with millions still on the dole and the world slump was only ended by war.

Since we cannot experiment with history, there is no knowing whether the world would have spring back to prosperity and achieved high growth without Hitler's war. But that does not stop economists from arguing the point, usually through statisti-cally obscure analyses of the Kondratieff theory that there are long waves in economic

Those who dismiss the existence of long waves, notably Professor Michael oil shocks as an axe taken to the world economy, producing inflation and cuts in living standards but not fundamen tally damaging the economic forces that will now allow us to start up again from a lower

Fans of Kondratieff's 50year cycles, fortified by his correct prediction of both the thirties and eighties slumps, fall into two camps. One, without much credibility, reflation. The other, like the Japanese and French, wants to identify the structural features momentum for a generation.

This seems a logical ap-President Reagan's advisers are already predicting a complete return to normality by 1988. Since the US has an effective veto on all international economic cooperation and reform, the rest of the world must simply hope that

Graham Searjeant

Information technology could make many buildings obsolete: Baron Phillips reports

Britain's tower blocks not designed for

pounds of institutional investment could be at risk because the bulk of Britain's 44 million so metres of office buildings are in danger of becoming prema-

clusion drawn from a study by In the end it has often simply design consultants operating boiled down to whether a high design consultants operating under the off-putting initials of DEGW and EYSOS who have examined the impact of inforcountry's office blocks. In their opinion few buildings will be luxury but essential caration-demands.

The last five years have witnessed an explosion in the office technology market. Micro-computers and other desktop electronic wizardry are being increasingly installed and used by industry and com-

Despite the explosion, we have seen only the beginning of information technology era. f350 per sq metre of gross Still, the property developement floorspace. This compares have seen only the beginning of has been slow respond to the needs of the commercial space user.

At the heart of the Orbit study, as it is called, is the premise that most of the buildings which have been constructed over the past two decades or so will not convert easily to accomodate tenants'

technology needs.

Apart from the great mass of technical details in the report two key elements stand out. First, floor to ceiling heights in many buildings are so mean that it would be impossible to construct a false floor and, therefore, allow room for the skein of cables and wiring the new equipment needs.

Buildings are now constructed with underfloor ducting - to allow flexible use of telephone and electrical points. But the study points out that in many cases there is simply not enough room to accommodate the extra cabling. Normally, it process to raise the floor but 'mean" ceiling heights will not allow this unless employees do not mind working in claustro

phobic environment Strangely, it is the older buildings, which have generous ceiling heights, that can accommodate such conversion work without much rebuilding.

The second point covers the generally poor standard of airconditioning in office blocks. There has long been heated discussion within the property development business over the pros and cons of including such a luxury item when the country

the office of the future

This, at least, is the con-extremes of any North America. enough replican be obtained to insufy inclusion of air-con-ditioning

computers, word processors, and other pieces of electromic paraphernalia together generate a build up of heat and this will need to be quickly dispersed by air conditioners.

cost of adapting Britain's offices to respond to the extensive range of new technology refloorspace. This compares rather unfavourably with new construction costs that average

The study points out: "It follows that many existing office buildings are in danger of premature obsolescence and that the cost of adapting such buildings may not be justifiable by normal investment criteria."

While that may greatly displease fund managers and property investment groups, there are a few more spanners to be thrown into the works which for development.

Already, the demographic spread of office development is beginning to change, albeit slowly. Relocation has been a much-used and much-maligned term to describe tenants' dissatisfaction with office occupation costs, especially in Central London.

it now costs more than £50 a sq ft to occupy prime City space - made up of rents, rates and service charges. That compares with around £20 a sq ft for good provincial locations. A tenant occupying 100,000 sq ft of well-



located City space, therefore, has a basic overhead of more than £5m a year before he has paid any salaries or expense necessary to his business.

Perhaps this is why an. increasing number of large corporations and multinationals are considering the relocation question extremely carefully. How large the exodus is depends on who you talk to but at times one is given the impression that a high proprotion of large office space users are thinking about it.

One company which has decided to consolidate staff scattered around London in five buildings and bring them into one purpose-built block is Rank Xerox. It is proposing to build a new headquarters in Marlow, Buckinghamshire, which will be

The company admits there are few buildings which can take the cabling required for a local area network linking highly sophisticated worksta-

tions around the building.
As a manufacturer of hightechnology office equipment Rank Xerox needed a building which could show off its products to the best advantage. What better than a fully operational office incorporating the latest advances in infor-mation technology.

The building will also include

the most modern air conditioning and heating systems which not only will disperse the additional heat generated by the equipment but will store it for use the following day.

In the past, decision-taking on office location, both for the developer and the fenant, has been along fairly obvious lines: taking, for example, a large

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banks and insurance brokers especially), case of transport central location

However, the thrust of the report is that the locational options are increasing as communications; chiefly electronic, progress and it states: "therefore there may be more decentraliza-tion and fewer large single tenancies in prime areas.

- At the moment, it seems as spousy exert office manager in London is jumping into his car and driving down the M4 in search of that idyllic country office location where costs are a third of the City of London. So blinkered is his vision that the scruliny. stretch from Hammersmith to But is this the real long term

answer? It would seem logical that most large corporations will want to retain some sort of presence in the capital: a immed down headquarters staff occupying small but technically efficient premises in the centre of London along the lines that ICI is proposing.

But what of the remaining staff? Will it be necessary to lump them all together in one custom designed building halfway down the M4 involving refty relocation costs? Or is there another solution?

The report hints at what future demand for office space may be: fewer large units and a greater number of smaller more 'human" buildings accommodating fewer staff-in convenient locations.

Perhaps developers and funds should be considering the concept of small high specification office parks with buildings which can be broken down into small units capable of

The problem facing the developers and property investors is how best to calculate future demands and requirements. The Orbit study suggests that tenants' choice will be governed more by a building's suitability to cope with new technology than with its location. At the moment the impact of information technology is still relatively small but its growth is likely to be extremely rapid over the next decade.

landlords will be faced with the decision of whether the cost of bringing office blocks up to the standards required in the 21st century outweigh the cost of demolishing and starting again. Present lease structures may also have to come under

"Tenants with long leases in Bristof has been dubbed "The front of them may have to Western Corridor". renegotiate with their landlords to start new leases at rents Some occupiers may be pre-pared to cover this expenditure themselves and write off adapcases rent reviews will be sharply renegotiated to recoup report comments.

All these factors affect another significant element in the equation - property values. How does one arrive at a yaluation figure for a building which is on the verge of obsolescence or will cost a lot to

bring it up to date? Clearly, the property development industry must reaching a watershed as it hastens to reassess its traditional values. Perhaps it is only a matter of time before concrete and glass monoliths like Centre Point and the NatWest Tower are converted into high-rise luxury apartments than knocking them down.

	1982	1981
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Sales	62,711	53,510
Profit before tax	5,710	1,623
Earnings per share	29.77p	11.75p
Ordinary dividends	5.25p	4.375p

BERNARD MATTHEWS P.L.C.

Extracts from the Chairman's Statement:

*Record profits for 1982.

*Dividends increased by 20% over 1981.

*Prospects for 1983 encouraging.

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Jessel, Toynbee & Gillett plc

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Results for Year Ended 5th April 1983

Profit is stated after providing for rebate, taxation, merger and all other expenses and after transfer to reserve for contingencies.

• Group Profit £2.2 m.

 Dividend – Proposed final 3.5p, making total distribution for year 5.5p (1982 Final 3.25p, Total 5.0p).

Assets £575 m.

• Disclosed Shareholders Funds £11.5 m.

The Chairman Mr. M. R. Toynbee states:

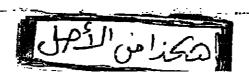
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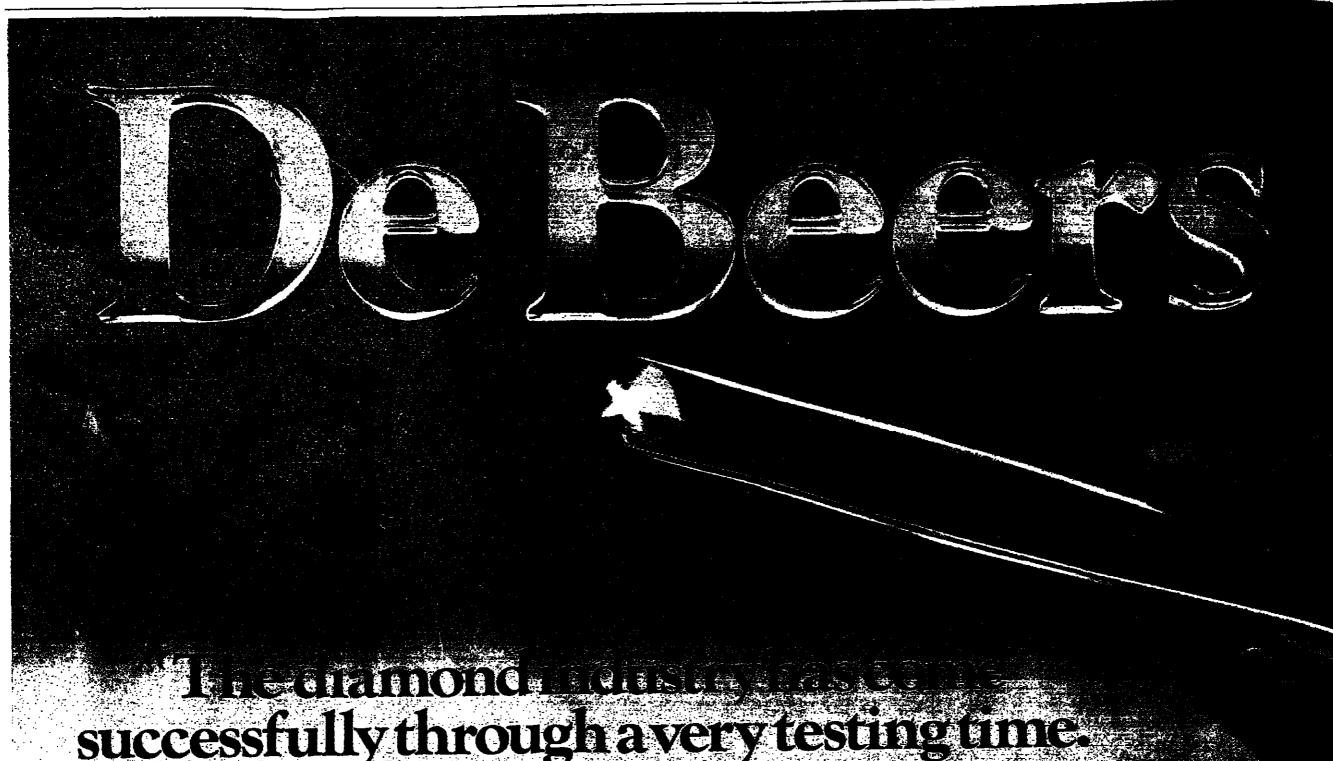
• It has been a profitable year in spite of difficult markets in the second

Inner Reserves have been increased substantially.

• The merger has been accomplished very successfully and the benefits of reduced costs are already evident.

The current year has started satisfactorily.







Mr Harry Oppenheimer. Chairman of De Beers Consolidated Mines

The year 1982 was another very difficult one. De Beers' earnings including the retained profits of associated companies but before its R14,9 million share of the extraordinary losses of associates - were R442.5 million or 123 cents a share, that is 30 per cent less than the R628,3 million earned in 1981. Excluding the Company's share of the retained profits of associates, profits were R202,5 million or 56,3 cents a share compared with R363,8 million or 101 cents the previous year, a reduction of 44 per cent. Dividends for the year totalled 37,5 cents a share against 50 cents in 1981.

Future prospects

These figures are in themselves disappointing. Nevertheless I am now able to report much more optimistically about future prospects than at the time of my last annual statement. While sales by the Central Selling Organisation (CSO) for the year as a whole at \$1,257 million were \$215 million or 15 per cent less than in 1981, sales in the second half of the year were higher than in the first six months of 1982 or the last six months of 1981. This reflected a significant improvement in the demand for smaller sizes and cheaper qualities, although the market for the larger and better qualities remains depressed. In September last year prices of the more saleable sizes and qualities were raised, resulting in an average increase overall of 2,5 per cent, which was well received by the market. During 1982 there was a further reduction in the stocks held in the cutting centres and a shortage of the popular qualities of rough is now apparent. From January onwards the demand for cheaper qualities increased further and expanded to some extent into the highercategories. CSO sales are at present considerably higher than in the second half of last year, though still limited by a restricted market for the larger sizes and better qualities. At the end of March the CSO announced a further selective increase in prices, averaging 3,5 per cent overall.

Confidence has been restored in the market and it is reasonable to expect that as general economic conditions improve,

Extracts from the Chairman's Statement 1982

particularly in the United States, demand will continue to grow and to broaden into the higher qualities. Retail sales of diamond jewellery in 1982 were only three per cent lower than in 1981, which was a record year, and Christmas sales were considerably better than had been anticipated.

Mood more optimistic

As a result the mood in the retail market is more optimistic than it has been for some time. While a rapid return to prosperous conditions is not to be expected it can, I think, be said that short of a further setback in the world economy a solid base has been established from which a gradual improvement in sales and profits canreasonably be hoped for

The diamond industry has come successfully through a very testing time, and had it not been for the willingness and ability of the CSO to protect the trade by reducing offerings to the market at the cost of accumulating exceptionally large stocks, the outcome would have been very different. Our stocks now stand at R1,832 million, and in accordance with our established policy we will liquidate them gradually, as the market is able to absorb them.

The part played by the CSO is generally. appreciated in the trade and it may perhaps be regarded as a sign of confidence in our organisation that companies in the CRA Limited and Ashton Mining Limited groups are marketing their 95 per cent interest in the gem and 75 per cent of their 'cheap gem' and industrial production from the new Argyle mine in Western Australia under a long-term contract with the CSO, and further. that the Government of Zaire has recently judged it to be in its best interest to renew its old-established relationship with us. The diamond industry, because of the nature of its product, is in many ways unique, and co-operation on a fair and reasonable basis between the major producers is necessary for its stability. It follows that the higher the proportion of world production that is marketed through a single channel, the more effectively the CSO can protect the interests of all concerned, whether as diamond producers, cutters and dealers, retail jewellers or as the ultimate owners of diamond jewellery.

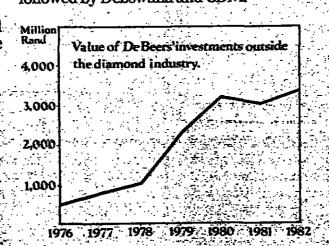
Industrial diamonds

For the second year in succession sales of industrial diamonds declined marginally. because of the continued economic recession. of the United States, Western Europe and, to a lesser extent Japan. Here again there are now signs of the beginning of a retain to more normal conditions.

Diamond production from the mines of the Group, including Debswana - which is

owned in equal partnership with the Government of Botswana - amounted to 17,399,815 carats compared with 15,438,282 carats in 1981: Of the 1982 total, 2,621,643 carats were from the new Jwaneng mine in Botswana which was brought to production during the year Excluding, for the sake of comparison, this new production, there was a reduction of four per cent in Group output to 14,778.172 carats. Efforts to contain costs and to keep capital expenditure to an absolute minimum were continued.

In Botswana production from the Orapa and Letlhakane mines was slightly higher at 5,147,196 carats, and with the completion of the Jwaneng mine the Group's total production capacity has reached the planned figure of 19 million carats a year. It is interesting to note that measured by the value of potential output from installed capacity the South African mines of the De Beers Group still make up the biggest individual producer in the Western world, followed by Debswana and CDM.



I have already mentioned that the Government of Zaire has decided to renew the association that it had with the CSO for many years until its termination two years ago. A contract has been signed in terms of which the CSO will be responsible for marketing the production of the Mibamine years to a level which working the real purious reflect the real purious parties deposit The majority of the Witha diamonds are smiler in quality to these that will be produced imust he associations in Australia, and the marketing of both outputs through the same channel will be to the benefit of the two producers and the diamond industry as a whole.

Exploration continued actively throughout the year in Africa, Australia and South America but no new discoveries of

importance were made. In the field of employment practices we believe that the broader participation which is being achieved in the negotiation of conditions of employment, and in regular consultation on matters of common interest. is making a positive contribution to the development of a sounder employment. relationship. An important milestone w reached with the participation, in the Kimberley Division, of trades unions representing our black employees at the 1982 wage negotiations.

The Company is maintaining its commitment to training and developing employees at all levels, both in the interests of optimal staff utilisation, and to open up; equal employment and advancement opportunities.

Investments soundly based

The value of our investments outside the diamond industry at the year-end was nearly R3.400 million. These investments are soundly based and well diversified both geographically and in respect of the different sectors of the economy in which they have been made. On account of this De Beerstas a wider and more stable base and the strength

of our entire structure is greatly increased.
On 24th August 1982 Mr. J. Ogurus Thompson was appointed Deputy Chairman of the board. Mr. Ogilvie Thompson became a director in December 1966 and over the years since then has come to play are: increasingly important part in the administration of the Group and in the and we have further undertaken to review framing of its policy. In his new position he with the mining company and the will be still better placed to apply his great.

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Company and the diamond industry

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In answering that question the court would follow the guidelines laid down by Lord Justice Brandon m Aratra Petate Co Ltd v Egyptiar Varigation Co ([1981]2 Lloyds Rep. 119, 123).

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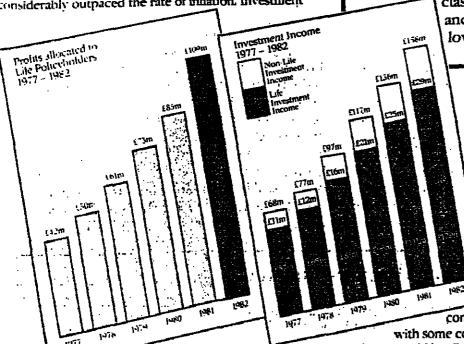
Results for 1982

- * Premium income up from \$410 million to £432 million
- * Investment income up from £136 million to £158 million
- Surplus on life assurance business up from £85 million to £109 million terminal bonuses again substantially
- * Pre-tax profit on non-life insurance only marginally reduced from £24.7 million to £23.7 million despite very adverse trading conditions - special discounts continued on all individual motor policies in force three or more years. The matter of the second of the

Extracts from the Report of the Chairman, Mr. W. H. Farrow, to the Annual Meeting on 27th April 1983

Life Assurance - Bonuses

"1982 was another satisfactory year for our life assurance business, with a good level of new business production and an increase in total premium income that considerably outpaced the rate of inflation. Investment



income also rose substantially and, with operating costs in both the Ordinary and Industrial life sections being again reduced in relation to premium income, there was a further increase in the profitability of the business. The amount of surplus applied in increased benefits for the policyholders exceeded £100 million for the first time.

I am pleased to announce a further substantial improvement in our terminal bonuses and rates of reversionary bonus have been maintained. The combined effect is to increase substantially the amounts payable on policies becoming claims, so that, for example, the total amounts payable on the maturity of Ordinary Section endowment assurances by yearly premiums for £1,000 original sum assured are increased from £1,687 to £1,819 after ten years, from £2.453 to £2.745 after 20 years and from £3,066 to £3.515 after 50 years.

PERSONAL SERVICE TO FAMILIES IN THEIR OWN HOMES CIS has in force 11 million life policies and 4 million household and motor insurances, insuring 31/2 million families or one family in six

An important factor in our success

in the U.K. Ordinary life and non-life insurance business accounts for two-thirds of the Society's premium income. We believe that our Home Service

plays a major role in our success. It caters directly for each family's needs as they arise, helps to guide ordinary people through insurance detail and can be more economical for the family than other methods of premium collection and servicing.

We are proud of the fact that our expenses per policy in all the main

classes of personal insurance are among the very 👫 lowest in the industry.

Non-Life Insurance

"The premium income on non-life insurance rose only marginally as compared with 1981, another satisfactory increase in the premium income from property insurance being offset by a fall of almost the same amount in that from motor insurance. There has been strong competition for motor business.

with some companies adopting premium rates that could hardly be regarded as adequate. There are signs that premium rates are now being raised to a more realistic level, and I am hopeful that the position will improve.

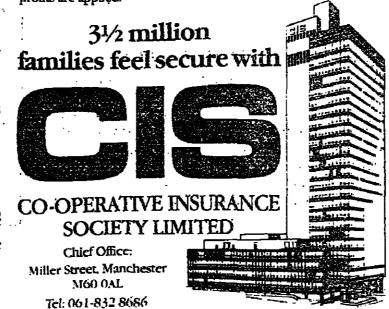
Expenses and Staffing

"For both life and non-life business, the Society's expenses are amongst the lowest in the industry, and our policyholders benefit accordingly. This achievement shows the value of our policy of taking early and energetic action to introduce new technology wherever appropriate and to streamline our working methods and reduce staff accordingly. Our staff has been reduced by over 30%, from 15,500 at its peak to 10,700 today, but no member of our staff has ever been made redundant or been required to retire early, or has been reduced in

salary grade, because of the introduction of new technology or working practices. By taking early and effective action we have kept our expense ratios low at all times and have avoided the need to take drastic action to reduce staff ".

All Profits to Policyholders

The CIS is proud to be part of the Co-operative Movement and operates as a retail Co-operative Society, providing personal insurance services to the public just as other retail co-operative societies provide other goods and services. As a co-operative organisation, the CIS conducts its business solely in the interests of the policyholders, for whose benefit the whole of its surpluses and profits are applied.



Gaming Board has no power to rule on legality of game

In re de Keller's application Before Mr Justice Forbes

Judgment delivered April 271 The Gaming Board had no power or duly to give a definitive ruling upon the legality of a game for the purpose of the Gaming Act 1968. Mr. Justice Forbes so held in

giving a reserved judgment in the Queen's Bench Division refusing an application by Mr David Guy de keller for leave to apply for judicial review and an order of certiorari to quash a decision of the Gaming Board declining to make a ruling as to whether the game "Aquarius" was a game exempt from section 13(1) of the Gaming Act 1968, and for an order of mandamus directing

the board to make a ruling thereon.

The Garning Act 1968 provides, by section 10: "(3) It shall be the duty of the board to keep under review the extent and character of

gaming in Great Britain..."

Mr John Marriage, QC and Mr David Stokes for the applicant: Mr Simon Tuckey, QC for the Gaming

Board.

MR JUSTICE FORBES said that the action had been begun by originating summons, but had been struck out as an abuse of the process of the court, following the House of Lords decision in O'Reithr 1 Mackman (The Times, November 2n, 1982; 11982; 3 WLR 1096).

Mr de Keller had invented a game called "Aquarius" which was a variation of the game of roulette. He sought to sell it to casino operators, but in order to do so he needed in establish that the game was eventn establish that the game was exempt from the provisions of section 13(1)

No legal aid for work done before brief

Din (Taj) and Another v Wandsworth London Borough

Where a civil legal aid certificate, under the Legal Aid Acts 1949-1964 included briefing leading counsel with junior counsel and any necessary consultation on brief. was held by the Queen's Bench Division, on a review of taxation, that counsel's fees for various conferences and interlocutory hearmes prior to delivery of the brief were to be disallowed as not being within the meaning of the certifi-

MR JUSTICE LLOYD, sitting with assessors, giving judgment in open court on April 26, after a hearing in chambers, said that on the true construction of the certificate it covered the brief itself and any subsequent consultations on the brief and any other conferences. It did not cover conferences and work done on the

the brief prior to delivery.

The Taxing Master had a discretion under regulation 64(4) of the Legal Aid (General) Regulations (SI 1980 No 1894) as amended by the Legal Aid (General) Amend-ment Regulations (SI 1981 No 173) that costs could have been allowed on a party-and-party basis; however that was not the position in this case. As a point of principle, fees for the delivery of the brief could not be allowed.

of the Gaming Act 1968, and complied with the conditions in regulation 3 of the Gaming Clubs (Bankers' Games) Regulations (SI 1970 No 8031.

He therefore requested that the Gaming Board make a ruling that the game was so exempt and that the conditions had been complied with. The board declined to do so, stating that it was not empowered by the Act to make such a ruling.

The board was correct in its action. There was nothing in the Act conferring a power, still less imposing a duty, upon the board, to make a definitive ruling upon the legality of a game.
Although the board might express

an opinion on the matter, whether to an applicant such as Mr de Keller or to the licensing authority, it was for the licensing authority to determine whether or not the game fulfilled the conditions in the regulation and fell outside the provisions of section 13(1) of the

Accordingly the application would be refused. Solicitors: Plant Gold & Co. Golders Green, Gregory Roweliffs

Peep shows change use of shop

Lydcare Limited \ Secretary of State for the Environment and Another

The use of premises for viewing films in cubicles by feeding coins into automatic machines was not incidental to the main use of the premises as a shop and therefore such use involved development for which planning permission was required. Mr Justice McCullough held in the Queen's Bench Division on April 27 dismissing three appeals by Lydcare Ltd against decisions of the Secretary of State for the Environment who had dismissed appeals against enforcement notices.

HIS LORDSHIP said that West minster City Council had served enforcement notices on Lydeare in respect of three premises on the ground that planning permission had not been granted for the use of each of the premises for viewing

The premises were used as shops and Lydcare contended that using part of each shop for viewing films was not a material change of use but was ancillary to the main use of the premises as a retail shop and therefore the use was permitted by regulation 3(1) of the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) Order (SI 1972 No 1385).

Regulation 2(2) provided that a shop meant a building used for the

carrying on of any retail trade or retail business wherein the primary purpose was the selling of goods by

Since the use of the premises was not ordinarily incidental to retail trading, following Hussaic | Secretary of State for the Environment ((1971) 23 P & CR 330), the use was not permissible under regulation 3(1).



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MARKET REPORT • by Michael Clark

The stock market has been Tricentrol enthusiasm quick off the mark in assessing prospects at Tricentrol, the oil

ACCOUNT DAY : Dealings began, April 25. Dealings and, May 6. Contango Day, May 9. Settlement Day, May 16.

ing directors and is expected to taking saw share prices close make an announcement within below their best levels of te day the next six weeks. First quarter with the FT Index ending 3.8 up Yesterday, the shares rose 4p to 178p, after 182p, after the group's lunch appointment in the City with brokers De Zoete & Bevan, who say that Tricentrol is the cheapest buy in the profits from £17.5m to £20m.

Mr Ian Watts, analyst at De Shares of LCP Holdings, the Loete, recommends the shares property and industrial group, is a buy up to 250p on the back property and industrial group, if an estimated net asset value yesterday ahead of full year of figures in June. Brokers have them standilly upgrading earlier. as a buy up to 250p on the back of an estimated net asset value of 430p a share - 60 per cent of which is located in the US. which is located in the US.

De Zoete are also bullish of

Tricentrol's latest oil discovery
on block 211/18A in the North

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expected contribution from its on block 211/18A in the North Sea. adjacent to the Thistle Field, the group's traditional profits earner. Earlier estimates United States subsidiary The Whitlock Corp. Dealers are now looking for a "substantially improved preformance. have put the total number of recoverable barrels at 15 mil-

lion, but close observers have now upraded this to nearer 25 million - none of which is Elsewhere, the rest of the equity market celebrated the overnight surge on Wall Street, where the Dow Jones Industrial breached 1200, average by Meanwhile, the group has a bursting through 700.

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Sentiment was again helped by the CBI's latest cheerful economic survey, but with conditions still volatile, investors are wasting little time in realizing their profits.

Gilts recovered from a dull start to close with rises of up to £\$1/8 in longs despite the fall in the pound on the foriegn exchange of 0.6 cents to \$1.5675.

Tuesday's demand for the new tap appears to have dried up with the Government broker still sitting on several hundred million pound worth of stock.

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Leading equines again found selective support with Tate & Lyle standing out with a 10p gain to 340p. Full-year figures expected shotly reveal profits of about £46m against £42m last

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after 478p, ahead of first quarter figures later today which are expected to show pretax profits of more than £90m against £62m. But dealers say that a big bull accoount has built up in the shares and anything less than sensational in unlikely to

Insurance broker C. E. Heath slid 4p to 341p yesterday following details of a large seller in the market. About 500,000 shares were placed at 335p - at least 10 below yesterday's opening price.

improve the price.

Shares of London & Liverpool Trust dived by 55p to 255p vesterday on news that the Office of Fair Trading has asked for details of the proposed deal with the Football League to screen soccer on Telejector video expens years and proposed the screen soccer on the screen screen soccer on the screen screen soccer on the screen video screens next season."

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Shares of J Beales leapt 28p to 100p as Munton Bros acquired more than 900,000 shares, or 25.7 per cent of the

equity.
in breweries, Scottish Newcastle Breweries codes dearer to equal the year's of 87p, after 88 \$1/2 p, after

denial in The Times yesten of a possible bid approach in the Canadian distiller Seagram. Rugby Portland, another favourite, lost an early 3p is at 105p to end the day all squat 105p. English China Class been consistently tipped a likely bidder despite den from Lord Royd-Carpen. from Lord Boyd-Carper chairman.

House of Fraser shares, u on the day to 192p, contint to draw strength from group's asset values and pr prospects. Another flurry circulars on the demerger i was dispatched to sharehold by both Lourho and the m board last night as the latter institutions in an attempt Fraser is due to issue p figures today.

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The black man they lionized is sent to grass

A candle of truth is flickering to life in the South African sun

Cape Town ___ Something unique was happening the other day which the United Nations would never believe unless they saw it with their own eyes. I had to rub my own.

It was a revealing experience to be at Stellenbosch among a crowd of 10,000 as they repeatedly rose to their feet to applaud the winners in the Nedbank-sponsored Prestige athletics meeting, winners who were mobbed by diminutive autograph hunters and

embraced by the vanquished Nothing remarkable in all that, you may say, until you know that two of the winners, Freddie Williams, in the 800 metres and Matthew Temane in the 5,000 metres are, in the terminology of this allegedly most racist nation on earth, respectively Coloured and black, Indeed, the first four home in the 5,000 metres were black.

Memory

The autograph hunters, many of them under 12, who were demonstrating with that natural spontaneity of children the admiration for any athlete who runs faster than his rival, were predominantly white and they have given me what cannot fail to be my most enduring sporting memory of 1983. In this beautiful, hated country there burns a candle of truth: there

is hope yet, Williams, succeeding the brilliant Sydney. Maree as black national hero, is the first coloured man in athletics to be awarded Springbok colours, the revered green blazer which must compensate for the moment for international isolation. After he had beaten Colin Lambert the white man congratulated him with a warmth as genuine as the excitement in the eyes of the children no hollow

A busload of supporters from Heathfield, a Coloured suburb of Cape Town, and cheer their man at Stellen-

DAVID MILLER

bosch, which is the Afrikaaner heart of the Broderbond, the feared secret cartel which is said to control every Nationalist Government.

Yet, temporary sick from his second big race in three days, Williams went to the first aid room, where he was caringly tended by white medics. When a superb evening, dominated by the sen-sational, tiny 16-year-old girl Zola Budd with a world-class 5,000 came to a close and the crowd had dispersed, Williams and Temane, having run a lap honour with their white Springbok colleagues while a main tribune bristling with Cabinet Ministers applauded, a white woman of 20 or so stood patiently waiting for a Coloured man to pack his kitbag so that she might get her programme signed. South Africa is not changing it has

The radical, non-racial bodies the South African Council of Sport within the country, the Supreme Council for Sport in Africa, and the London-based South African Non-Racial Olympic Committee - which orchestrate the international sporting blockade of this country will tell you that all attempts by the Government to establish multinational sport are mere window-dressing to disguise the same, continuing regime of discriminatory laws.

We drove, I and the other Cloured man who for almost a week had been my companion and guide and encyclopaedia of South African racial history, to the Stellenbosch city hall for a reception. Leaving aside the fraternization of Coloured and white athletes such as you might see at any international event, more significantly there was that same talk about their children by Daphne Williams and the other, white, wives such as would take place in any pavilion after the match anywhere in Britain; women

wishing to discuss their experi-ences for a change instead of their husbands.

I trust I am no naive shortterm foreign visitor pretending that this small illustration in a relatively exclusive circumstance is in any way representative of the situation of the 20 million blacks in South Africa today. But, as I will endeavour to explain in subsequent articles, what I have learnt in some 30 or more interviews and meetings with individuals and organizations is that, contrary to the convictions of the United Nations, the international sporting federations and world-wide Leftwing groups, there is a case to be reopened, debated and judged on sport as it relates to South African life, black and white, sporting and non-sport-

I can no longer accept, as I did until a week ago, that the total deaf ear and absolute exclusion of South Africa is any longer necessarily in the best interests of the black South Africans, in sport or beyond, and indeed the black and Coloured population are divided on this question. What is depressing is that white South Africa, the majority of whom outside Government acknowledge the inhumanities of the past and even of the present, are still capable of making tactical

Exceptional

The focal point of the city hall reception was to an-nounce the 10 outstanding athletes who, after a season of exceptional performance in which 36 South African athletic records have been set. are nominated to travel to Helsinki in August as observers of the world championships from which their talents are banned. Two of those places are being son-sored by a television channel



Maree: one more stride for integrated man

on condition that one is filled by a black athlete. So excited were the officials of the South African Amateur Athletic Union - non-racial in concept and principle but predominantly white administered - by the many excellent performances on Monday night that, judging strictly on merit, they announced an allwhite squad as follows:

Johan Fourie (mile, 3 min 52.3 sec); Wessel Oosthuizen (100m and 200m, 10.29 sec and 20.1); Hennie Koetze (400 hurdles, 49.26); Jaco Reinach (400m, 45.01); Johan Oosthui-zen (400m, 45.42); Ludwig Myburgh (400m, 45.32); Nollie Meintries (3,000 steeple-chase, 8 min 21.72 sec); Charmaine Fick (400 hurdles, 55.49 sec); Ilse Venter (800m. 1 min 59.39 sec); Myrtle Simpson (400m, 51.89 sec). In the heat of the moment the committee had overlooked the subscribed black place and hurriedly added two more

names to bring the elite squad

up to 12, including Temane, thereby presenting themselves with an additional bill for £1,500 in expenses. Williams. their black Springbok, could not find a place with his personal best as South Afican champion of 1 min 46.6 sec and the SAAAU are looking around anxiously for a sponsor for this fine athlete who had no coaching and ran on rough grass until he was 17.

It was inconceivable that on the one hand making such a bold gesture to let the outside world know that they are, athletically speaking, alive and kicking, the SAAAU should miss the opportunity to emphasize to their enemies that they are truly integrated in athletics, if nothing else. To have bent a point to include black athletes, irres-

pective of the finer points of merit, was surely in their interest. I would have supposed they would welcome accusations of prejudice in that direction.

The rugby union man with a foot in two camps

White's emotions in a maul

The Rugby Union's technical administrator for the south and south-west will be in London on Saturday, occupying that sometimes position, of having a foot in both camps. The John Player Cup final at Twickenham brings together Leicester, the club which "Chalkie" White coached for 15 years, and BristoL one of the three senior clubs in the "parish" which White took over four months ago.

Technically, White will be surveying Bristol as his area's leading senior representatives. Emotionally (and technically - he is a very analytical man), he will be much involved with Leicester's performance. It will be the first time in five finals that Leicester have not been prepared by him; it will also be the first time that they have played in a final without Dusty Hare, the England full back, and Garry Adey, the former England No 8, who was persuaded out of retirement to take part in the club's last final in 1981.

It is the absence of Hare, who is resting before the Lions' tour of New Zealand, and the crop of recent injuries suffered by Leicester, which White regards as the imponderables in a game which has the makings of a thriller: "But the chemistry of the game has got to be right", he says with the aplomb of one at whose dispensary a variety of players have acquired the ingredients which have helped make them internationals. There is enough ability in both sides to play the game wide. All four wingers are men who know what it is like to win games, but the desire to play the game wide has got to be

"Bristol's build-up has been very good indeed. They have become used to winning away from home. Leicester's has been a little bit less successful - there have been one or two recent games, Pontypool, for instance, they would have loved to win, but did not. But there are so many facets you have to get right to play well, and s ome of these facets are not controllable by the players once they get onto the field."The chemistry has been right for Leicester before: In 1979, when they scored 40 points in a semi-final against Wasps, this year, when they scored 30 points against London Scottish in the semi-final. But finals, in any competition, are seldom the showpieces the sports adminis-trators would like. The desire to win, after so much hard work, is paramount among the players, and the difference between a memorable game and a hard slog can sometimes be the sort of push-in which a place kicker of Hare's ability provides, either through penalty goals or by making a four-point try worth six

Bristol, as White points out, are inexperienced in midfield, even



White: "the chemistry has got to be right"

though the arrival of Stuart Barnes has increased their ability in that area. All three are under 21 and possessed of enormous potential compared with the proven international experience of Cusworth, Dodge and Woodward, "Whether Barnes has played often enough with Hogg and Knibbs to get the best out of them remains to be seen," White said. "They have some formidable material among the forwards, and I saw them score three push-over tries against, of all paople, Gloucester in an evening

"Bristol's two flankers are the best of their kind around, but in some ways. Bristol play a betwixtand-between game. They do not adapt to a tight game very easily. There is no doubt that their players have the ability to do so, but it does not appear to come easily to them.

"And there is experience of the occasion, which may tell in Leicester's favour. Many of Bristol's players have taken part in county championship finals for Gloucestershire, but it's not the same. In this year's county final. Yorkshire came to Bristol and tried to play the game according to their strength, and for an hour, Gloucestershire weren't very sure how to cope. Twickenham is yet another dimension; there is a razzmatazz associated with the Cup final. It all adds little bits of

people in the Leicester side who haven't experienced it three in the backs and three in the forwards, but they are spread among the players who have been through it all before.

"The best is yet to come from Leicester. The most important part of their future is the recruitment of players. If you are looking for the top, that must be your number one priority, and players will join you more readily if they like the style you adopt. Bath in the West Country appreciate that - people want to join Bath now. But Bristol and Gloucester should always reach the semi-finals of the Cup at least, if the draw doesn't put th4em together, because of the huge

White expects his old club to win on Saturday. He discounts the kind of motivation suggested by Cusworth's rejection by England, by Dodge's disappointment at missing the Lions' tour, the desire by such players to prove a point "No player goes out to play anything other than well, and once he's on the field, everything else is frogotten. It's how he reacts to what's happening around him that counts. Leicester have more to offer in that respect than Bristol, but they have to bring it with them. It's no use if they leave it behind at Welford Road."

David Hands

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FOOTBALL: ENGLAND REMAIN CONFIDENT OF RETAINING THEIR UNDER-21 TITLE **Doctor** tests patient English

England's Under-21 team to reach the final stages in their efforts to retain the UEFA Under-21

After their 1-0 win over Hungary in Tuesday night's uninspired match at St James's Park, Newmatch at M James's Park, New-castle, and following Denmark's 1-1 draw with Greece, England are three points clear at the top of their group with just two matches to play. . The England manager, Howard Wilkinson, feels that his team have which son, sees that his team have now gained the experience to deal with their remaining opponents, Denmark, at home, and Hungary, away. "We have nothing to fear", he said. "Now we can go to Hungary and win. I seriously think that we can beat them over there".

Wilkinson was not impressed by Wilkinson was not impressed by the Hungarians' spoiling tactics at Newcastle. He thought that the

Swiss referee, Doctor A Daini, was too lenient but that England can expect a much more open game when they play the away leg.

"Some of the lads were a bit stunned when they came off at half-time. The sort of treatment they were getting usually receives a different punishment in league matches here," he said.

Danny Thomas, the England

matches here", he said.

"Danny Thomas, the England captain, agreed. "To be honest, I was very disappointed in them. When you think of Hungary, you think of good footballing sides, but I feit they were a little bit cynical. In the technical aspects they obviously have good players, but I

The Coventry City full back was sisked to compare the current further and more convincing England team with the side with argument for the value of patience.



Nothing to Fear? John Barnes, of England, goes past Lajos Detari, of Hungary.

which he won a European Championship medal last year.
"It is taking a bit of time for us to get to know one another, but I'm confident that this team can be as good as the last one," Thomas replied. "It will come in time."

Tuesday's game provided a

Paul Walsh's goal, his first at this level, came just 15 minutes from the end. He seized on a deflected freekick from Thomas to score from

England should have won by a greater margin but they failed to capitalize on a number of chances against a goalkeeper who often looked flamboyant but seldom

Pye leaves

Wigan as

supporters

vent rage

The crisis at Wigan Athletic has deepened with the resig-nation of the third division

club's chairman, Freddie Pye. Wigan face closure on May 17 as a result of debts of around

£300,000 and it was following a

public meeting on Tuesday to discuss the club's future that Mr

supporters after travelling back

from the meeting of Football League chairmen in London.

However, he received some

harsh criticism over Wigan's plight and said feelings were running too high for him to speak. He said: "Quite honestly I've had enough. I have done my whack for football over 35 years and I am sick and tired of it all

and I am sick and tired of it all.

I don't see any future there for

When Mr Pye left the ground he found his car had also been on the receiving end of the supporters' wrath. Tyres had-

been let down, dirt thrown over

it, and the chairman's sign torn

down. He said "I don't need that

pretty lously about it. My only

But Mr Pye, who plans to

leave within a fortnight, said:
"The club is not off the hook.

There is still the matter of who

pays the wages. They could

struggle on a bit but it is no good

justy thinking it will go away."
Mr Pye will continue negotiations - in conjunction with

the action committee chairman Tom Hitchen - to acquire Mr

Bates' shares and put them into

sin was winning promotion."

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Pve announced his decision.

sound. Mr Wilkinson, though, appeared happy with the team's performance. "I was very pleased with the way we eventually got on top of things," he said.

ENGLAND: A Kright (Portsmouth: D Thomas (Coverny), J Ryan (Oktham), P Beacewell (Stoke), M Wright (Southampton), G Stevens (Brighton), D Walkes (Southampton), P Wakh (Lutan), such, N Calegham Watterd, M Hateley (Coverny), such P Davies, Amerial, N Pickering (Sunderland), J Bames (Wattord), N

Bonn (Reuter) - A seious leg injury has ended the career of Paul

Breitner, one of West Germay's outstanding postwar footballers, a few weeks before he was due to

The 31-year-old Bayern Munich

the struggle to recover by

midfield player, who was injured in a top-of-the-table fixture with Hamburg on March 26, yesterday

Doctors said his knee and ankle

injuries were more serious than originally thought and Breitner said

gave up the struggle the end of the season.

HUNGARY: P Diszil, J Grosz, L Diszil, Szabo, L Gere, R Horvath, J Kiprich, Csongradi, A Kurucz, L Detari, I Varga (sub, Teodoru).

GROUP THREE

reluctance to play for the national team after the 1974 World Cup win. He then moved to Real Madrid for three years before returning to

West Germany, first with Eintracht Brunswick and then with Bayern, his original club.

Breitner said in January he would retire at the end of the season, an announcement which set Bayern off

on a desperate search for a replacement. Soren Lerby, Ajax's

Danish international, was the man

they chose.
Breitner's team colleagues, Karl-

Breitner's career

comes to an end

won more were it not for his 3-1 defeat by Italy in the final.

Young Welshmen run into brick wall

Mike England the Wales manager glancing header after 26 minutes is still no nearer solving his underand 10 minutes later saw a shot 21 scoring problem. The 1-0 defeat deflected wide. Pashev then set up against Bulgaria on Tuesday at the Bulgarian goal, five minutes Bangor was the third successive before the interval. Volchey range of the state of the state of the same of the state of the state of the state of the same of the state of the state of the same of the state match in which they have failed to onto his pass and took the ball wide get a goal. "We played some good of the new goalkeeper, Andrew stuff, especially in the second half, Dibble, before shooting into the but it was the same old story", empty net.

England said. "All the good buildin and play counts for nothing if way back into contention and in the up and play counts for nothing if way back into contention and in the

Wales were beaten by a 40th- by Valvo.

minute goal from Volchev, but the second-half introduction of Glyn Hodges of Wimbledon, and Colin Pascoe, of Swansea, livened things

up.
"Hodges did very well, while
Gary Roberts of Brentford also did himself a lot of good" England said. He singled out the Fulham defender, Geoff Hopkins, as his star player, saying: "He had an excellent

The Bulgarians had the edge in a scrappy first half, with Pashev doing most of the damage. The tricky midfield player was wide with a

you can't score."

Second half, stepped up the pressure, but were denied by the superb handling of Bulgarian goalkeeper, Valov. Statter, of Bristol Rovers, in activation was the mount of the pressure. Gary Roberts had been called up as England demanded more striking power following the results against Norway, 0-0, and Yugoslavia, 0-2, but Wales ran up against a brick wall.

Additional particular, of Bristol Rovers, in particular, was unlucky in the 70th minute when his header from a right-wing cross by Hodges, of Wimbledon, was brilliantly saved

WALES: Dábble (Cardiff); Hopkins (Fulham),
Marusálk (Svarssea), Williams (Bristol Rovers),
sub Pascoe (Swanssea), Sister (Bristol
Rovers), Lewis (Swanssea, Capt) Davies
(Manchester U), Loveridge (Swanssea), Gale
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BILLGARIA: Valov, Koev, D.Miladenov, Markov,
Marvachw Yavichw, Sirakov, Baladov Yaytchev, Sirakov, ardiev, Paschev.

Group four

Season is cut short for

Arnold and Gayle

match last Saturday. Jim Arnold, the Everton goalkeeper, who suffered a serious thigh injury in his team's 1-0 defeat at Birmingham

Gayle, the former Liverpool Regis has brought some comfort player, who was carried off with an ankle injury, has been told by a Albion, who were heartened by the specialist that he must stay in plaster for a month which is another blow for Ron Saunders, Birming-ham's manager, which already has rest of the season.

(Agencies) - In the face of further efforts by Canada and the United

States to revive their applications to stage the 1986 World Cup, the resolve of the international feder-

ation of football associations (FIFA) not to inspect facilities in the North

American countries remains as apparently firm as ever.

FIFA's executive committee are to meet in Stockholm on May 20 to decide where the finals should be

held. The governing body's general secretary. Sepp Blatter, offered no hope of a postponement or change of heart yesterday.

The United States Soccer Feder-

ation have made a fresh appeal against the decision by a FIFA selection committee not to visit the

news that the England forward does not need a cartilage operation that would have ruled him out for the

The season has probably ended prematurely for two players, who were hurt in the same first division and Byron Stevenson still under treatment, also for ankle injuries. A move to put the club into voluntary liquidation on May 17 has been blocked by the majority shareholder and chair-Jimmy Case and Cyrille Regis are two other first division players who may be able to play much sooner than expected. Case, Brighton's FA man of Chelsea, Ken Bates.

City is likely to miss his team's last Cup hero who left the Goldstone four matches as is Howard Gayle, Birmingham's midfield player. Everton's manager, Howard Kendall, expects to use the Welsh international Neville Southall as Arnold's deputy for the remainder contains the service of the s of the season.

Gayle, the former Liverpool

Fricker dickers but

FIFA stays firm

for all three candidates - Mexico, Canada and the United States - to be considered as host nation for the

1986 World Cup," Werner Fricker, chairman of the USSF World Cup

organizing committee, said on Tuesday. Equal consideration requires that all countries be visited for on-site inspection

March will oppose

Reading supporters will stage a protest march through the town centre on Saturday a demonstration against the proposed merger with Oxford United. The Supporters' Club chairman, Mike Habbits, said:

Soviets crush **Portuguese** Moscow (AFP) - The Soviet Union moved to the top of group two in the European Championship when they overwhelmed Portugal 5-0 yesterday. The Soviet Union now have four mints from two carnes have four points from two games. United States to inspect the available facilities. "We are simply seeking a fair and equal opportunity a vastly inferior goal difference."

merger plan

The march will be totally

Nearly 98 per cent of the people interviewed in an opinion poll in Reading are against the plan of the Oxford chairman, Robert Maxwell, for the clubs to merge. A former Reading player, Roger Smee, has the town council's backing for a new multi-sports complex in Reading, while a planning official in Didcot, where Mr Maxwell intends that the new club shall play, said there had been no discussions whatsoever with him and: "Until we know what Mr Maxwell wants, it is silly to talk about sites."

Hunter in pursuit of better game

Breitner seems to be wondering what the future holds

dropped out of the second division promotion race, Hunter has indi-cated that he wants to rebuild his

side.

Hunter said yesterday: "I have to start looking towards next season. It is my decision to put Derrick on the list. Things have got to be changed." Hunter has also transfer-listed leading scorer. Ronnie Glavin, who has a total of 20 goals so far this season. He has in addition recieved transfer requests from Don Souter, a delender, and Stewart Barrowclough, a midfield player.

Parker, aged 26, has scored 11 goals this season.

The Southead United trainer.

Derrick Parker, the Barnsley forward, has been put on the transfer list by his manager, Norman Hunter. Since Barnsley Beckett, who was never given a contact during his five pages at return to the Channel Islands in June to manager a hotel in Jersey. Beckett, who was never given a contract during his five years, at Rootes Hall, said yesterday that he

> Yesterday's results EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP: Group Two:

Liverpool go touring Liverpool, the Football League Champions, are arranging a twogoals this season.

The Southend United trainer,
Brian Beckett, is giving up football

Match tour of Hong Kong in June and will play an Israel XI in Tel Aviv on May 16.

EQUESTRIANISM

British youth to the fore

By Jenny MacArthur

Britain's young riders were the Wimpey's Timaru II and Andeguy outstanding performers at yester-day's Tidworth army horse trials, sponsored by MacConnal-Mason Alma. Their class - a selection trial for the young riders' championship at Bramham in June - came at the end of the day and many of them went round the testing cross-country

Meade went to the dressage trainer,

Course faster and better than their

Ferdi Eilberg, for some help and it is seniors had done earlier in the day.

certainly paying dividends.

SNOOKER: HIGGINS AND DAVIS REACH THE LAST FOUR

Werbeniuk's recovery has the champion fretting

Alex Higgins, the title holders, on to victory in the next two frames.

At the end, Higgins was in full flow and the Canadian conceded with four reds still left on the table. yesterday overame a stubborn challenge from the burly Canadian Bill Werbenink to reach the semifinal round of the World Pro-fessional championship, sponsored by Embassy, at the Crucible Theatre, Sheffield. The winner by

defeated Eddie Chariton of Australia 13-5 earlier in the day.
Higgins, who was 7-9 behind
Werbeniuk overnight, had an
arduous task. Behind it must have
been the haunting memory of defeat
by Werbeniuk in the Masters
tournament at Wembley. After Mike Watterson will no longer promote the world Professional Championship. Mr Watterson, the

Championship. Mr Watterson, the Sacokasport Prozections chalman, who is also chalman of Derby County Foothall Club, said: "I have received a letter from Mike Green, secretary of the World Professional Billards and Snooker Association notifying me that next year's World Championship will be promoted by WPBSA Promotions Limeted.

"I do not accept this because it does not relate to the consensus of "I do not accept this because it does not relate to the consensus of opinion held by the majority of top players." But the WPBSA secretary, Mike Green, said: "We will not be promoting the event next year." Watterson, a professional player himself, plans to fight the decision.

Higgins had drawn level and forged ahead. Werbeniuk issued another stirring challenge by drawing level at 1-11 with a magnificent break of 109 which, if he had not missed the yellow, would have been 136. But Werbeniuk was soon overwhelmed by Higgins, who moved inexorably

Davis, who began the day with a lead of 11-9, won the two frames he by Embassy, at the Crucible
Theatre, Sheffield. The winner by
13-11, Higgins now meets Steve
Davis, the 1981 champion, who
defeated Eddie Charlton of Australia 13-5 earlier in the day. began his reply by siding a red along the side cushion to start a frame-winning break of 46. He achieved more flucucy in the next two frames with breaks of 33, 31

two frames with breaks of 33, 31 and 30 to seal the match.

"I have been playing a solid, tactical game," Davis said. "It is very difficult to get going when the play is slow. But if I were a tacchorse I would say that my preparation is going well and I am quietly confident."

Charlion said that he had alaured. Chariton said that he had played several shots which he should never have missed. He made the only century break in the match, 115, in

century break in the match, 115, in the fifth frame. "It was time to throw the bloody towel in," Charlton said. "Nobody ever appreciates the luck Steve gets until you play him. He's a great player and beat me fair and square but, by God, nothing ever goes bad for him. I'll sit down now and watch the others struggle."

Both Tony Knowles and Tony Meo continue to show their cus power particularly in the last two frames of the morning, each of which was completed in 10 minutes. Knowles, with an overnight lead of 6-2, found Meo increasing his own workrate and Knowles went into the interval leading 9-7.

interval leading 9-7.

Cliff Thorburn's overnight lead of 5-3 was quickly neutralized by Kirk Stevens. The fortunes of the match



Knowles: showing power

Thorburn at one stage was leading these players, one frame short of schedule, Thorburn was slightly

Scheduler, 100 July 1

CRICKET: GOOCH RACES TO CENTURY BEFORE LUNCH

Essex openers fall just short of record stand

A powerful 174 runs in three hours from their opening batsman, Graham Gooch, helped give Essex an opening stand of 263 against Cambridge University at Fenner's yesterday their first-class record created in 1946. Gooch's century came before hunch against and, when he left after an hour's play in the afternoon he had hit three sixes and 25 fours.

The former England player, who.

The former England player, who, at 29, is serving a three-year ban from Test cricket as a result of his participation in last year's "rebel" English tour to South Africa, was in majestic mood as he and his partner, Brian Hardie, put on an mbroken 138 in the first two hours.
Gooch reached his century five
minutes before lunch, having hit a
six and 18 fours out of his 102 runs

Breitner's team colleagues, KarlHeinz Rummenigge, said his injury
left Bayern with virtually no chance
weeks.

Breitner, who scored in two
World Cup finals and won a host of
domestic honours with Bayern, is
still hoping to be fit for a farewell
match against a team of international stars on May 31.

Often a controversial and areas
mentative forms. six and 18 tours out of his 102 runs at the interval. Hardie had hit seven fours in his 53 at that stage.

Gooch always dominated Hardie against a weak Cambridge attack, but Hardie's patience paid off as he reached 129, including 14 fours, two hours later. The captain, Keith Fletcher, declared at 375 for four

match against a team of international stars on May 31.

Often a controversial and argumentative figure, Breitner won 48 caps for his country and could have and scored his side's only goal in the John Lever struck at once when David Varey was trapped leg before after only a leg bye had been scored.

S Turner, D R Pringle, D E East, R E East, J K Lever, and D Acfield did not bet. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-263, 2-280, 3-349, 4-

"S P Handerson, A Odendesi, S J G Dogert, K I Hodgson, P G Roebuck, V A Cotterell, +A G Devis and A J Policok to bat.

Play abandoned

Yesterday's play between MCC and Middlesex at Lord's and Oxford University and Somerset at the Parks was abanboned because of

Derbyshire to appeal against ban Derbyshire are to appeal against

the Test and County Cricket Board's decision yesterday to reject their registration of the West Indian Test registration of the West Indian 1 est fast bowier, Michael Holding. Roger Pearman, Derbyshire's chief executive, said: "In view of the fact that we believe we have not contrevened any regulations we will be lodging an appeal as soon as we receive official notification of the board's rejection. We are most disappointed and unhappy about it and the mood of committee members

to whom I have spoken was very

determined. Their attitude is that we

should pursue this to the limit.

Mr Pearman refused to say Mr Pearman refused to say whether this might involve testing the board's authority in the courts with an allegation of "restraint of trade". It is believed that Derbyshire intend to seek legal advice. "At this stage we are only concerned in asking the board to reconsider the matter", Mr Pearman added.

The board's decision follows an established pattern to limit the number of overseas players in

West Indies might 'blood' Davis

St Johns, Antigua, (Reuter)—With was the main wicket-taker in this SFA Bacchus, CH Lloyd (captain), P J Dugon Series against India won, the season's Shell Shield competition. West Indies' selectors might see the fifth Test, beginning here today, as an opportunity to blood Winston Davis, the St Vincent fast bowler. Davis, aged 24, who played for Glamorean in county champio for the latter part of the 1982 season,

RUGBY LEAGUE

Ken Loxton the Bramley loose forward, is unlikely to play again after the serious spinal injury received in the match against Cardiff City at Ninian Park on

Tuesday. Loxton, a skilful and experienced player who was formerly a half back with Huddersfield, is in Cardiff Royal Infirmary, and will be in hospital for six weeks and

IN BRIEF

RUGBY LEAGUE: The Rugby League have appointed Fred Lindop, of Wakefield, to referee the

premiership final, sponsored by Slalom Lager, on Saturday, May 14. But the venue will not be decided until the two finalists are known

tinti the two triangles are known after this weekend's matches.

Members of the finance committee approved the financial details of Frank Myler's appoint-

details of Frank Myler's appointment as Great Britain coach. He will have charge of the Test squad until the tour of Australia and New Zealand in the summer of 1984.

Peter Smethurst, the Leigh coach, has resigned to return to Oldham as successor to Frank Myler. Smethurst, a former Oldham

player, was Myler's assistant until January

TENNIS: Only three British players

gain direct entry into the men's

singles at next week's West

Warwickshire tournament at Soli-

hull. They are the defending champion, Andrew Jarrett, Jona-than Smith and Richard Lewis.

CYCLING: Marino Lejarreta, of Spain, consolidated his position as overall leader of the Tour of Spain

after winning the eighth stage, a 38 kilometre individual time trial, at

kilometre individual time trial, at Panticosta yesterday.
LEADRIG OVERALL POSITIONS: 1, M Lejoreta (So), 41 hrs. 19 mins 08 ecc. 2, J Gorospe (So), 31:124; 3, A Coll (Sp), 41:21:24; 4, P Munoz (So), 41:21:25; 6, B Himmit (F), 41:21:35; 6, F Roperoz (Sp), 41:22:5; 7, H Kujore (Neth), 41:22:59; 8, A Pro (Sp), 41:22:52; 10, E Chocas (Sp), 41:23:52; 10, E Chocas (Sp), 41:24:51.

West Indies squad, but his only appearance was in the second of the three one-day internationals, which the West Indies lost.

WEST BIDGES (from): C G Greenidge, D L Umpleys: D M Archer and R Weeks.

BRDIA (from): S M Gavasker, A D Gaswad, M American, D B Vengserker, Yeshpel Sherme, R J Sheari, Kapil Dev (captain), S M H Kirmani, S Medan Lal, B S Sandhu, L Stvaramakrishnan, S Venkataraghavan.

OLYMPIC GAMES

French call to isolate Loxton may not play again **South Africa in sport** after injury but we would like the political leaders to isolate South Africa By Keith Macklin

Toulouse, (AP) - Nelson Paillon, president of the French National Olympic and Sports Committee (CNOSF) said yesterday that French political leaders should isolate pointain feature stocks some isome south Africa totally and institute a complete ban of sports contacts with the Pretoria, government.

Earlier this month the govern-

ment wrote to all French amateur sports federations asking them to sever links with South Africa. After a brief rebellion, the French rugby federation cancelled a planned tour of South Africa this summer when President Matterrand specifically requested it.

will be in hospital for six weeks and in plaster for about three months. His condition yesterday was described as fair.

Doug Alton, the Bramley chairman, said the injury was a tragedy for Loxton and a severe blow for the club, who were looking to Loxton to spearhead their challenge for promotion next season. Doctors told him that Loxton's injury had been within an inch of paralysing The government decision, howathletes such as tennis players, golfers or grand prix drivers.

"We took, in the affair of the

"We took, in the affair of the French ragby team, a sporting position in line with the United Nations and the International Clympic Committee, and not a political position," Faillon said.

"The decision of the government goes in the direction that we want, been within an inch of paralysing him for life.

The end-of-season glut of fixtures enables Fulham to stage an eve-of-Wembley league game on Friday week, May 6, when they entertain Cardiff City at Craven Cottage.

Tokyo (AFP) - Only four Gold medals will be at stake in the table tennis competition in the 1988 Seoul Olympics, Roy Evans president of the International Tennis Federation (ITTF) said here

completely by economic measures and a global prohibition for all

athletes, professional or not, from going to that country."

The British president said there would be no team of mixed doubles competitions at the games, a contrast to the present world champiouships which offers seven

Evans, in Tokyo for the 37th world championships which start tody at the Yoyog stadium, said this was in conformity with the International Olympic Committee (IOC) policy to reduce the number of team events in the world's most important sports festival.

FOR THE RECORD

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE: Cleveland Indians 7,
Minnesota Twins 1; Minnesota Brewers 4,
Chicago White Scx 3, Texta Rengers 2,
Toronto Bilas Jays 1; Kansas City Royasi 10,
New York Yarkass 4; Seattle Martiners 7,
Coston Red Sox 6; Osidand A's 4, Bellimore
Oricles 3,
NATIONAL LEAGUE: Houston Astros 2,
Montrad Expos 0; Sen Diego Padres 10,
Cricago Cube 8; Pittesburg Pirates 3, San
Francisco Glants 0; Cinchnist Reds 7, New
York Jets 0; Affanta Bravia 10, Philadelphia
Prillies 4; Los Angeles Dodgers 3, St Louis
Cardinals 1.

RASKETBALL ASSCCIATION: Playedis Sax Antonio Spurs 162, Denver Nuggets 133 (San Antonio Spurs lead best of seved series, 1-0); Los Angeles: Laiers 112, Portland Trail Blazzes 106 (series level at 1-1).

FOOTBALL SWISS CUP: Querter-finals: Zurich Grass-hoppers 1. St Galleri O: Winderflur 1, Zurich St Servette Geneva 4, Mendrisio 1; Lucerne 2, Young Boys 2 (ast).

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Stanley Cup Playoffs: New York Islanders 5, Boston Strains 2 (New York Islanders lead best of seven series, 1—0; Edmonton Ollers 8, Chicago Black Hawks 2 (Edmonton Ollers lead series, 1—0). World Charapionship: Municit: West Germany

TORIONTO: Menanes Cop: S Khan bt D Williams (Australia), 15-11, 15-7, 18-18; J Khan (Paki bt P. Kanyon (GB), 15-6, 15-12, 15-5; M Sanchez (Mex) bt S Bowdhah (WG), 9-15,

Senchez (Mex) bt S Bowditch (WG), 9-15, 15-12, 15-2, 16-12.

15-12, 15-2, 16-12.

160NACC: International event: Quarter-finate: Lishers (Self) 3-2, C Pollerd (Aus) bt S Fyrm (GB) 3-2; F Donnetly (Aus) bt M Denoy (All) bt M Denoy (All) and Lishers (BB) 3-1; R Thomas (Aus) bt M Denoy (All) 3-9. Seat-finate bt Donnetly 3-5. Thomas bt Pollard 3-0. Pleas: Thomas bt Leiner S CYCLING

MOSCOW: 5 Idiametres: A Krasnov (USSR) 5 min 50.21 sec (world record).

TODAY'S FIXTURES

CRICKET

LORD'S: MCC v Middesex (11.30-8.30)
FERRERS: Cambridge University v Essex (11.50-8.30)
THE PARKES: Oxford University v Someraet (11.30-8.30)
SECOND: CHAMPTONSIEP: Someraet v Warwickshire (at Taumord) FOOTBALL

ISTHMAN LEAGENE: Presier division: Brostley v Bognor Regis Town; Tooding and Mitchain v Harrow Borough, First division: Boreten Wood v Metropolitan-Police.
CENTRIAL LEAGUR: First division: Blackpool v Covestry City (Jd.; Newtoeste v Blackpool Rowers (7.0); West Brom Albon v Huddersfield.
Postponed: Stoke City v Sheffield Wedneeday.

Second Division: Burniay v Derby County, Middlesborough v Wigan, Rotherham v Olchem Aithetic. POOTBALL COMBINATION: Arsens) v Queen's Park Rangers (2.0); Birmingham City v Cuser's rare nangate to the control of the control

OTHER SPORT
TENNES: British Home Stores Tornament (Cumbertand LTC, London).
SMOOKER: World profassional Championship Crucible Thesire, Sheffield).
SCHASH FACKETS: Boddingtons Open (Commonwealth SC, Blackpool).

TUESDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Thunderstorms washed out two of Tuesday nights League matches in Yorkshire. The games at Bradfrod City and Halifax were both called off shorty before kick-off time. It was the second class. time. It was the second time in a month that Wimbledon had made a fruitless journey to Halifax. UEFA Under-21 Championship

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FOOTH division ROCHDALE (2) 2 COLCHESTER (0) 1 Higgins Aftern 1,219
Franch 1,219
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West Counted, 3,211
Polition (1) 2 TORCUAY (0) 1
Philipsed Cooper 9,500

Cooper 2,509

NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Maccios-ild 0, Goole 1; South Liverpool 0, Morecambe Witton 2, Oswestry 0. 4: Witton 2, Cowestry 0.

ISTHERAN LEAGUE: Premier division: Banking
2, Bashop's Scrifford 2; Browley 1,
Leytonstons and lifterd 1; Sutton United 0,
Sough Town 2: Toolog and Mitchan 2,
Bioncay 1. First Division: Aveley 0. Boretam
Wood 0: Cheebant 1, Tibbury 0: Ensorn and
Eveil 0, Oxford City 0: Hornchunth 2, Linves 1:
Worthing 5, Chesham 0. Second division:
Epping 2, Molessly 2: Letchworth Garden City
0, Hungerford 3. ATHENIAN LEAGUE: Banstead 1, Grays 2; Burnham 5, Marlow 0; Challont St Peter 1, Whyteleele 0, Newbury 4, Chertsey 1.

With residue 6, Newbury 4, Chortsey 1.

ALLIANCE PRESIDER LEAGUE: Runcom 4, Yeovil 1.

CENTRAL LEAGUE: First division: Coventry 3, Hudderfield 0; Everton 2, Newcazile 1: Palmer (US) 6-3, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4; 1, Licerpool 0, Leeds 0, Postponed: Sheffled Wednesday v Stoke.

Second division: Burnley 4, Notts County 3; OSAXA.

Second division: Burnley 4, Notts County 3; OSAXA. Wednesday v Stoke.
Second division: Burniey 4, Notts County 3:
Carby 1, Rotherhem C; Manchester City 1, Port
Vale 1; Oldham 2, Preston 1; Wigan 1,
Meddesbrough 1; Bristol Rovers 3, Liston 2; Charten
1, Oxford Linde 2; Chelsas 0, West Ham 3;
Watford 1, Swanses 0, West Ham 3;
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SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Premier division: Abschurch: AP Learnington 3: Corby 1, Dortbester 0, Destrord 1, Westerlowster 1; Gloucaster 0, Bedworth 1; Hestings 1, Worsey 1; Welling 1, Gravessend 1, Efficient division: Bridgend 1, Bromsgrove 1. Bridgend 1, Bromsgrove 1. SCHOOLS MATCH: Gliette Truphy: Firel, first leg: Middlesbrough 4, Sunderland 2.

The winner of the open intermediate class was Andrew Griffith, from Witney, riding Paramount.
Griffith, who is trained by Henrietz Knight, a member of the three-day event selection committee, is due to compete in his first international three-day event next month at Richard Meade, riding George 83

has a successful day, gaining a second and a third place respectively. When Andeguy, who is eight, first come to Meade last autumn he needed a lot of work to be transformed from a champion hunter into a good dressage horse.

OPER INTERMEDIATE: 1, Peramount (A. Griffich) 54: 2, Secundus (K. Morfend) 58: 3, Piglet (R. Hund) 58: 3, Piglet (R. Hund) 58: 3, Piglet (R. Hund) 58: 3, Dramble of Rushall (A. Tudsar) 58: 3, Andeguy (R. Mesca) 58: 3, Andeguy (R. Mesca) 58: 3, Super Salesman (D. Grech) 56: 3, Dramble of Rushall (A. Tudsar) 53: 3, Super Salesman (D. Grech) 56: 5, Super Salesman (D. Grech) 58: 5, Super Salesman

In the 28 years that Geoffrey Stakes at Newmarket last if she is up with the pace just Wragg assisted his father, autumn This I am prepared to behind the leaders early on Harry, he was party to their do because I'm convinced, and because she can be switched off. stable winning six English I am not alone in this classics with Darius, Abermaid, conviction, that Pat Eddery made one of his rare tactical Psidium and Intermezzo. Now crrors that day when he burned after that lengthy apprentice up Favoridge's speed in getting ship he looks poised to add a seventh to the family haul, this of lying up with her early on time in his own right as a and using that pace to pass her trainer, by winning the 1,000 when the race came to the boil. Guineas at Newmarket today

with Favoridge.

Three of his father's greatest triumphs were gained in this same classic so plenty of family knowhow will have gone into the control of the Favoridge's preparation this spring which centred around the Nell Gwyn Stakes over seven furlongs on today's course, a fortnight ago.

As trials go that particular race has been more helpful than most in recent years in that it has pointed to Flying Water, One In A Million and Fart Footsteps all winning the 1.000 as well. And the stylish way that Favoridge won the Nell Gwyne left me with the unshakable of the three legs of the American belief that she too could go on triple crown (one of those was to even greather things in

Yet to fancy her you have to lly in the face of the form book as she was beaten three-quarters

Eddery did so only because majestically over seven fur-longs. "She'll stay a 11 right, provided that she is ridden right," were Wragg's prophetic words before the Nell Gwyn and now I expect them to ring

Wragg's contention that Favoridge will stay a mile is certainly borne out by a study of her pedigree as she is by a horse who won two of the three legs of the American triple crown (one over a mile and a half), out a mare who won the Irish 1,000

Furthermore, Wragg is adamant that Favoridge is such a relaxed individual that she can of a length by the French filly relaxed individual that she can and today's favourite, Ma be put anywhere in a race, at Biche, in the Chevely Park any time, and it will not matter

That too is in her favour because she has been drawn 11. With the starting stalls placed on the far side of the Rowley Mile course, and the draw numbering from left to right, Eddery will be able to pick and choose from there in a field of

18 and bide his time until the

oment is right to strike From his draw also he will be in the ideal position to keep an eye on Freedie Head and Ma Biche, who is arguably his main rival, certainly on form. They have been drawn 10 right alongside. Like Favoridge, Ma Biche also made a winning start to the seson, although her victory at Maisons-Laffitte was

Sailing are what my colleague. Michael Seely, likes to describe as the thinking man's each-way bets. Royal Heroine was third to Favoridge in the Nell Gwyn and runner-up to Habibti in the Lowther Stakes at York last August, each time staying on nicely towards the end and crying out that a mile would be well within her range. On paper she looks much more certain to stay a mile than Habibti who ran like a sprinter in the Fred Darling Stakes at Newbury 13

Royal Heroine and Ski



Favoridge: stylish victory in the Nell Gwyn Stakes two weeks ago

year but that should not deter anyone from backing her because her trainer Barry Hills knows his job well, and it was he who produced Enstone Spark, who also by way of a coincidence, belonged to Ski Sailing's owner, Dick Bonny-castle, to win this classic six

Vying for interest with the Guineas today is the Heathorn Stakes which already boasts the name of one so accomplished as Shirley Heights in its relatively earlier this spring when he

short history. With Dunbeath, Hasty Flirt, Shearwalk, Zoffany, Society Boy and Morcon all standing their ground, today's race looks every bit as riveting. as the one in which Shirley Heights just pipped Ile de Bourbon in 1978.

Following that fluent victory in the William Hill Futurity at Doncaster last October Dunbeath is currently favourite, or second favourite, for the Derby in the bookmakers' lists. But in the wake of a slight setback sprang a curb (pulled a slight muscle in a hind leg) Dunbeath is not quite as forward as Henry Cecil would have wished. In the circumstances, no one should be surprised if not only he but Shearwalk and Zoffany as well fail to give 1 lib to Morcon. This is a considerable con-

cession and if this Morston colt is destined to develop into a serious challenger for top honours later he must surely strike now and take full advantage of these advan-

Smelling the flowers of Florence along the undulating way

For vastly contrasting reasons the absence of Brian Barnes and Neil Coles from the £60,000 Italian Open, which starts on the Ugolino course here today, could be seen in

Barnes withdrew late after

missing a flight but he might have considered taking an early bath after course. It resembles in many respects Sant Cugat, on the outskirts of Barcelona, where his sanity was severely tested late last year and where Coles coolly recorded the thirty-second victory of his career. Coles might have upset the stars again this week by winning his thirty-third but he is a rare visitor to the Continent on account of his the Continent on account of his antipathy to flying.

The Ugolino course, deep in the heart of the Tuscan Hills, is in excellent condition; But it twists in roller-coaster fashion and the fairways slope towards rough that in many parts can be best described as hay. Without a doubt it is one of the prettiest courses that the European tour has visited. The landscape is coloured by umbrella pines, cypresses, caks and olive trees. For many, however, there could be more time than usual this week to smell the flowers along the way.

With three of the par fours drivable the likes of Sandy Lyle, Severiano Ballesteros and Greg

Norman could have a bundle of fun. Yet predictions that they will need in order to win are probably a little premature. It would seem reasonable to assume that these three are the men to beat although Manuel Pinero, a supreme short-iron player, and Mark James, the defending

Lyle in Madrid last week have given, the British camp a good start. Norman, however, has won the Australian Masters and Hongkong Open this year and he is obviously in fine from He has decided to take in fine form. He has decided to take his card for the United States tour this November. His first ambition is to win a "major" but in spite of reducing his European programmie from 11 events to eight he is convinced that he can lead the official money list again.

Lyle in strong field Sandy Lyle, winner of the Madrid Open Championship last weekend, is to take part in the £60,000 Car Care Plan International tournament at Sand Moor, Leeds, from May 17-22. He joins a field in which the top attraction is Severiano Ballesteros of Spain. Bill Longmuir, Ken Brown; Mark James, John O'Leary and Brian Waites are also competing.

Par is where the heart is

By John Hennessy, Golf Correspondent

A tant struggle developed for the newly-instituted PGA under-25 title at Sunningdale yesterday. The first round produced a three-way tie roams produced a three-way the involving John Brennand (Kendal), David Williams (Woburn) and Andrew Dyson (Gotts Park) on 72, par for the Old Course, with Duncan Evans, amateur champion three years ago, a stroke behind.

Under the financial umbrella of Lowndes Lambert, insurance brok-ers, the winner received a first prize of £600 and, more significantly, a season's sponsorship worth £8,000, the use of a car, together with £750 towards running costs, and a European tour playing card if he has not already acquired one by more orthodox methods. Dyson, a 22-year-old Yorkshire-

man, made the most spectacular start with an eagle three at the first start with an eagie turee at the first (494 yards), by way of a three wood to 25 feet, but he sacrificed the advantage with a five at the second. Measuring 484 yards, it is a sitting target for any professional golfer in whatever age group, but the birdie evaded Dyson, as it did not Brennand and Williams.

Dyson got to the turn in 34, to share the lead at that point with Tony Bennett (Duxbury Park), but thereafter Bennett's heart, if not in San Francisco, seemed not to be in Sunningdale, since he came back in 40. Dyson dropped two shots to par coming home, both – spart from a little give and take elsewhere – at the 12th, where he pulled his teeshot into the trees.

shot into the trees.

Brennand and Williams matched starting with a birdle at the 10th (478 yards) and losing a shot later: Brennand at the 17th with three putts and Williams at the 15th with

among the qualifying field of only 12, also stood on the 18th tee at par, but a poor drive called for a long second shot, with three iron, and he could not get up and down from a

bunker.

PHST POUNDS 72: J Brannand (Kandid); D
Williams (Woburn); A Dyson (Gotts Paris), 73: D
Evens (unattached), 74: A Bennet
(Doubury Paris), 76: I Young (Daimahoy); K
Hayward (Pullord Hasth), 78: C Steele
(Minchichampton); S Deller (Whitby), 80: M
Brown (Helf Harth), 80: I Balley (Lingdele), 84: S Splittes (Finckwell Heath).

TENNIS

Airing of a grievance as Taroczy is put to flight

From a Special Correspondent, Dallas

Jet-lag affects different r different ways. Balazs Taroczy, of Hungary, and Tomas Smid of Czechoslovakia, testified to this at

the opening night of the WCT finals here on Tuesday.

Both were involved in the British Both were involved in the british hard court championship finals at Bournemouth on Sunday and flew into Dallas the following day. Within 24 hours they were on court against players who had been playing in the United States and had no need to adjust to the time changes.

Taroczy opened the meeting against the local player, Bill Scanlon, and was beaten 6-2, 6-4, 6-3 in one hour 55 minutes. Smid looked as though he might experience similar treatment when he lost the first set to Wojtek Fibak but he was let off the hook in the seventh game of the second and went on to win 3-6, 6-3, 7-6, 6-2 in two hours 12 minutes.

in two hours 12 minutes.

Taroczy said: "I thought it was unfair that Smid and I, the only two involved in flying from Europe, should be scheduled to play the opening matches. I wasn't ready. I served badly and my reactions were

slow. I tried to get me match theid over for it was like playing at 1 sm to me. I always need a complete day's rest to adjust. I am not saying I would have won had the match been kept back a day, but I would have been able to make much more of a fight of it." Scanlon, in a jocular mood, said he felt quite fresh but did admit: "I

he felt quite fresh but did admit "I knew he would have to adjust and it would not be easy for him. It was great to play before my own crowd and be able to win." Serving outstandingly, Scanlon was in trouble only once, in the seventh game of the second set. At 3-3 he was 0-40 before serving three aces and a service winner. He served 13 aces alterether. Good serving was also the key to

Smid's win over Fibak. He served only six aces but his deliveries were so accurate that Fibak was under constant pressure and never re-gained the initiative after winning

the first set.

Smid was not due to play until the second day but his match was brought forward after Brian Teacher pulled a stomach muscle.

Botfield depends on mum

Stephen Botfield, a 17-year-old schoolboy from Chingford, Essex, took time off from his 'A' Level studies to pull off a smart victory in the Cumberland hard court tennis tournament, sponsored by British
Home Store, at Hampstead yesterday. He hopes his win will be
noticed by the Lawn Tennis
Association.

Botfield, who is studying maths Botheld, who is studying maths and biology, beat Martin Robinson, of Bolton, 4-6, 6-2, 6-1 in the second round. "My mother has to go to work to help finance my tennis, for I don't get any aid from the LTA," he said. "If you don't get into their squads by the time you are 12, then the state of the second to he has said."

REBULTE: Women's singles, second round: L. Geswes (Midd) bt P Fordyce (US) 7-5, 7-5; S Sullivan (Essex) bt P Fordyce (US) 7-5, 7-5; S Sullivan (Essex) bt V Gebb (Beris) 6-1, 6-2; M Reinack (SA) bt B Borneo (Beds) 8-4, 8-1; M Collins (Essex) bt R Jefarry (Midd) 8-1, 6-0; C Drury (Lincs) bt S Intol (Midd) 8-1, 6-0; C Drury (Lincs) bt S Intol (Midd) 8-0, 6-4; R Mentz (SA) bt C Reception (Arg) 8-0, 7-5; L Bayly (Aus) bt C Carls (Do) 14, 6-1, 8-2; L Regist (Regs) bt A Root (Essex) 6-2, 6-1; S Rojes (Men) bt A Root (Essex) 6-2, 6-1; S Leact (Essex) bt X Section (SA) 6-4, 6-3; J Reeves (Kerr) bt D Welter (Middo) 7-5, 6-2; L Gracis (Lancs) bt V Leise (Devon) 5-4, 6-3; J Men's singles, thair round: Drury (Lincs) by M Collins (Essex) 5-1, 6-2.
Men's singles, second round: S Botileid (Essex) bt M Robinson (Lancs) 4-5, 6-2, 6-1; C Emery (Surrey) bt G Curie (Devon) 6-1, 6-1; P Moore (Surrey) bt G Curie (Devon) 6-3, 6-4.
Men's singles stird round: S Bed (Middo) bt P Coyle (Essex) 6-1, 6-4; N Sears (Sussex) bt P Tibbs (Ugands) 6-1, 6-4; N Sears (Sussex) bt P Tibbs (Ugands) 6-2, 6-1.

TABLE TENNIS

Tokyo (Reuter) - The controversial issue of whether Taiwan should be admitted as a member of the International Table Tennis Federation will be discussed during the 10-day world championships opening here tomorrow. Roy Evans, the federation president, told a press conference yesterday that he hoped to be able to report on the outcome by the end of the championships on May 9.

China, the world's top table tennis nation, and their supporters are expected to oppose strongly Taiwan's application, as they have done in the past. The Chinese, who won all seven titles at the last charmiomshine in Yngoslavia two

Peter Simpson England's team captain, said: "The England men have a very good draw and I think we can reach the team semi-finals. England meet Deamark, Soviet Union, Italy, North Korea, Poland and Japan over the next few days.

YACHTING Sponsorship: for national team series

The Royal Yachting Association is to organize a new national team racing series sponsored by St George Assurance during the season. The preliminary rounds will be run on a regional basis at 13 venues with the final at Rutland Sailing Club in October.

Team racing has been tried with varying success in the past, but the the finals has been prohibitive. Conventional team racing is also a highly specialized form of sailing to the rules of the new event have been carefully framed to appeal to a wide variety of yatchsmen, especially families, and to avoid team tactics. Teams will consist of five sailors in three boats (one of them a single

hander) and the RYA recommends the use of the Mirror Laser and Enterprise classes. One boat must be crewed by sailors under 17 years of age, one between 17 and 35 and the third over 35.

The form of racing will be different from anything attempted before. Each race will be a relay over Desmond Douglas, England's top player, said: "I like the playing conditions here and I hope I can justify my high seeding of No7 in the men's singles."

a short figure-of-eight course with up to 12 teams taking part. Frizemoney for each region and £3.000 for the final will benefit the clubs not individuals.

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8.15 1,000 GUINEAS STAKES (Group I: 3-y-0 fillies: 271,472: 1m) (16 runners) Runners and riders. See left.

FORM: Octavia Girl (8-15) 2nd beaten 1½ from SUE-Ah (see 10th) with La Grigle (rec 10th) 3rd beaten 31 9 ram. Kempton 1m sites heavy Apr 2. Shore Line (8-11) won hid from Floating Petal (seve) 20 ram. Newmarket 71 min sites good to soft Apr 12. Selenia (8-1) won 81 from Norther (gave 3 th) 6 ram. Newmarket 61 from good Apr 14. Heavy's Secret (9-0) 3rd beaten 81 to Myras Seat (rec 3 th) 3 ram. Ayr 61 site good Sep 19. Flavoridge (8-7) won 1½ from Annie Edge Sevel) and Royal Nerolas (sevel) 3rd beaten 52 to Socotbye Shelley (sevel) with Flavoridge (8-7) won 1½ from Annie Edge Sevel) 3rd beaten 53 to Goodbye Shelley (sevel) with Flavoridge (8-0) 4th beaten 53 to Goodbye Shelley (sevel) with Flavoridge (8-11) 5th beaten 53 to Sevel 5th beaten 79 ram. Newhorty 71 5thet side soft Apr 15. Myra Beat (8-11) 5th beaten 53 to Sevel 5th beaten 54 or 15 to Sevel 4th beaten 54 or 15 to Sevel 5th beaten 54 or 15 to 15 t

CAPISTRANO STAKES (2-y-o maloens: 23 ALL AGREED (T Westerman) J Winter 9-0 BAFFLE BAY (S Steem) M Tompions 9-0 CAEDMON (W Gradley) C British 9-0 DURANT (W Gradley) C British 9-0 3 KIEV (G Faye) P Kollinway 9-0 (NOCYTLE (A Sheed) S Halls 9-0 MAY SE THIS TIME (Mrs P Dorsey) B Hobbe 9-0 MERAVAL (J Fisher) M Ryen 9-0 PRINCE OF FASHROM (A Actual) G Huffer 9-0 REX LAKE (Mrs M Burreil) H Geol 9-0 SAMS TAILOR (B Hersbury) B Hersbury 9-0 2 TUSHTALA (Essi "Commodities) G Lewis 9-0 URICLE OLLVER (Gibbey Racing) Thomson Jones 9 URICLE OLLVER (Gibbey Racing) Thomson Jones 9 VINCE TAILOR OF SAMS A ARGING 10 Males B 4.50 MARCH HANDICAP (£3,889: 2m) (11) TIDWORTH TATTOO (Or D Davis) D Eisworth 4-9-3 DONEGAL PRINCE (D) (J McConsgle) P Kelleway 7-9-3 CHANBURG GIRL (In Heasen) C Brittein 4-8-9 BIG-ED/U Bigg) R Hollingheed 4-8-7

3.45 EL CAPISTRANO STAKES (2-y-o maidens: £2,834: 5f) (13)

9-4 Big-Ed, 11-4 Man Of Spirit, 7-2 Popel's Joy, 6 Sandaley, 8 Red Field, 12 Major Sett. 16 others. Newmarket selections

7-4 Magic Formula, 4 Probabilist, 11-2 Xenia, 15-2 My Challenge.

3.45 MAY HILL HURDLE (handlosp: £1,276: 3m 1f) (17)

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9 000 Chelses Island 8-10-9 ... S Youtien 7
10 400 Gien Wiss 7-10-9 ... J Austrati 4
11 320 Pelm Cross 6-10-9 ... P Barry
12 000 Jymarie (8) 5-10-8 ... R Hysti
14 020 Pickled Tile 6-10-6 ... S Powell 7
15 400 Pickled Tile 6-10-6 ... S Moranead
17 040 Shirtey Gross 5-10-4 ... T Wall 4
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20 000 August Moon 8-10-1 ... S Jones
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7-2 Simbed, 9-2 Royscript, 8 Rocks Of

4.15 CANON PYON CHASE (handicap: £1,798: Sm 11) (10)

9-4 Sefors Return, 4 Haybale, 9-2 Armagnac Princess, 15-2 Lauraneum.

By Michael Phillips 2.0 The Minster. 2.35 Morcon. 3.15 Favoridge. 3.45 Rex Lake. 4.15 Precis. 4.50 Sandalay.

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5.15 BROCKHAMPTON HUNTERS'
CHASE (Div E. 21, 107: 2m 40, (14)
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20 p2 Counterlone 9-12-0 — C Crozier
20 000 Crofters Cottage 8-12-0 — Nichols 7
21 000 Crofters Cottage 8-12-0 — Nichols 7
22 003 Carystrabilin 7-12-0 — C Crozier
27 0p/p Houdaway 8-12-0 — Miss Hanmer 7
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5.45 GRUNWICK

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Wylord 6-11-10 — C Croser
Blc Roller 4-10-11 — G Playford 7
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8-4 Brigone, 7-2 Cartival Air, 6 Only For Love, Salford Value.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent
2.0 The Minster 2.35 Dunbeath. 3.15 Favoridge. 3.45 Rex Lake. 4.15
Master Cawston. 4.50 Muslad.

Icing on the Hereford cake for Dickinson

The champion National Hunt trainer Michael Dickinson broke Arthur Stephenson's record of 114 winners trained in a season when Prince Rowan won the Crieff Novices Chase at Perth yesterday. It noded an 18-day wait for Dickinson since Sabin. de Loir won at Liverpool to equal the record, set in the 1969-70 season.

Dickinson was not at Perth to see

Dickinson was not at Perth to see Dickinson was not at Perth to see his odds on chance win by three-quarters of a length from Ring-Lou. But afterwards at his Harewood stable he said: "This puts the icing on the cake for what has been a marvellous season. "Although this is our first winner for 18 days, most found that the property of the same bear and the definition of the same bear and of our horses have been roughed off; and we only have six left to run. We are going to keep right on to the end of the section with them, and I hope to end up with a total of around 120

winners".

The record is another milestone in the incredible career of Dickinson, whose other great achievement this season was training the first five home in the Cheltenham Gold Cup.

Perth results 2.15: 1, Piest April (9-4); 2, Louviere (10-11 fav); 3, Bombo Run (25-1), 12 ran. 2.45: 1, West Acre (25-1); 2, Gayle Warning (10-11 fav); 3, Youghel (2-1). 8 ran. NF. Castisholm.

3.15: 1, All Expense (14-1); 2, Cloudwalker (2-1 fav); 3, Lottle Eahmann (4-1); 13 ran.

3.46: 1, Ge Jack (8-1); 2, Rosewell Planer (6-4 fav); 2, Prince Rosian (1-2 fav); 2, Pilog-Lou. (10-1); 3, Dick Reedy (14-1); 11 ran. NR: Cumbertand Basin.

4.46: 1, Tartan-Tuster (6-2); 2, Saucy Sergannt (14-1); 3, Tarchin (20-1); 14 ran. Tarcogan's Choice (11 to 10 lan), NR: Conn The Cobbier.

Haydock doubt

Racing at Haydock on Saturday is in jepardy. The clerk of the course Philip Arkright said, "There will be an inspection at 3.0 today to determine the prospects. At the moment the course is unraceable and the forecast is gloomy."

Yesterday's meeting at Catterick Bridge was called off because of

Horage will miss Saturday's 2,000 griness. Fits trainer Matt McCormack said: "I worked Horage this morning and he went well, but walking away from the gallop he was not moving as well as I would like. If I ran him at Newmarket it could do him permanent damage and I shall concentrate on the Irish Guineas instead."

Favoridge was laid to lose £75,000 with Ladbrokes for the 1,000 Guineas and is now 3-1 joint favourite with Ma Biche. STATE OF GOMON Newwartest good. Horsford: heavy: Heathers: soft Tomorrow: Cardele: soft. Taupton: heavy.

2:15 DRIMORE HURDLE (4-y-o novices; £867; 2m 47) (18 rumhers) -1 -110 The Genger Man 12-0R Arrott 7 4 010 Kevin Evans 11-7 C Brown 5 000 Admining Glasses (B) 11-0 4 010 Kevile Evans 11-0 C Brown
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11 030 Dicks Dan 11-0 M Williams
12 030 Dusky Farlow 11-0 Mss Wellars
13 024 Henry Lancaster 11-0 J Hurst 7
14 00 Jakes 11-0 R Hyelt
17 04 Henry Lancaster 11-0 J Hurst 7
20 00 Last Trail 11-0 R Hyelt
21 Last Trail 11-0 R Hyelt
24 0p North End Old 11-0 R Crack
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31 034 Storton 11-0 P Hobbs
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2.45 WOOLHOPE CHASE (novices herdicage £1,229: 2m) (9)

2.134 Oyster Pond 6-11-12 ____ C McCourt 4 000 Stormy Spring 6-11-7 _P Scudemore 5 1pp Flashy's Pat 6-11-8 _____ E Walte 7 327 Addre 7-11-4 _____ M Effort 4 p11 Pomposity (8) 6-11-4 ____ Mr Manafrel 9 210 Generaus Bid 6-11-3 ___ K Mooney 17 400 San Benho 6-10-0 ___ R Milman 4 19 322 Laphelgh Ridge 6-10-0 ___ R Milman 4 19 322 Laphelgh Ridge 6-10-0 ___ R Horne 9-4 Goldyka, 7-2 Stormy Spring, 9-2 Oyster Pond, 6 Laphelgh Ridge.

3.15 HOLMER HURDLE (selling: £809:

4.45 BROCKHAMPTON KUNTERS' CHASE (Div 1 amateurs: £1,107: 2m 40 (14)

2 1040 My Birck 11-12-10 P Clarks 7
4 421 Tispolina 11-12-10 K Bishop 7
12 1000 Allied Carpets 11-12-0 MH Bish 7
13 p41/ Alled Carpets 11-12-0 MH Richards 7
18 034 Chichester Bird 9-12-0 Miss Countries 19 p20- Coducer 12-12-0 Miss Saunders 23 420- Drucesen 9-12-0 S Dickin 7 25 p-0 Gillian Rosettery 10-12-0 Lock-Uplands 8-12-0 Hexham

2.0 HAYDON CHASE (handicap: £978: 2m 4f) (9 runners) 2m 41) (9 fumers)
1 233 Tuder Polly 7-11-10 _____ G Gray 4
8 U02 Swift Albumy 9-10-11 ___ M Papper 4
10 323 Rasny's Song 9-10-4 ____ C Grant
12 00U Old Head 11-10-0 ___ D Turmbull
13 42U Pasero 9-10-0 ____ M Bremen
14 /0-04 Red form (8) 7-10-0 ___ C Painturs
16 P00 Palace Royal 10-40-0 ____ =
19 020 Supreme Sell 12-10-0
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7-4 Swift Alberry, 8 Resy's Song, 7-2 Tudor Folly, 6 Pinero. 3.0 YARRIDGE HURDLE (Div I novices: £620; 2m) (14) 2022 201) (14) 7-12-10 _____ B Storey 4
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11-4 Clickhem Lad, 7-2 Virry's Pet, 4 Olive Press, 5 Velled City.

3.30 GORDON RAMSAY HUNTER CHASE (smatteurs meldens: £1,359:

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15 F4F Knookeen Lad 8-12-0 L Hudson 4
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22 Panegyrist 8-12-0 N Lemarque 7
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28 Soher States 12-12-0 P Craggs 4
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MEREPORD SELECTIONS: 2.15 Crack A Joke. 2.45 Goldyke. 3.5 Xanis. 3.45 Simbed. 4.15 Saliors Return. 4.45 Night Attack. 5.15 Dending Brig. 5.45 Brigons. 4.30 JOHN McKIE HURDLE (amateurs handicep: £817: 2m 4f) (15) Mess Vernon 7

10 (10) Higgs (6) Mess Simpson 7 11 (10) Bir Snow (B) 8-10-2 Mrs Thining 7 13 /P00 Marry A Chance 9-10-1 Miss Thompson 7 3 Kristerson, 7-2 Witchin, 4 Heliel, 5 Run'r 5.0 YARRIDGE HURDLE (Div II: novices: £620: 2m) (10)

13 0-02 Runses 5-11-4 Mess Venon 7
16 F10 Frances 4-11-3 Mr Dugger 7
17 123 Penny's Drasm 4-11-3 Mr Thompson 7
18 034 Borebern Down 4-10-7 P Charlton 21 000 Owen Rock 4-10-7 A Brown 2 Borenge Down, 3 Rumasa, 5 Frances, 6 Penny's Dream. HEXHAM SELECTIONS: 2.0 Tudor Folly, 3.0 Valed City, 3.0 Boorebargo, 4.0 Mas Evelin, 4.30 Hallel, 5.0 Francell. 4-7 Sparten Flutter, 5 Miss Evelin, 6 Priendly Glan, 8 Silvan Sand.

Taiwan issue on the table at Tokyo event

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The perils of returning home

The real problem in sending executives abroad is not their initial move. It is their final repatriation.

Most expatriates will be aware simply from reading newspapers of the financial difficulties endemic in returning. However, these difficulties will always be worse than previously imagined. Even given an equitable salary, the expatriate may well be unable to afford a comparable house. He may not even be able to buy a property of a similar standard to that which he (foolishly) sold when he went away. All too frequently overseas residence is wrongly assumed to be a qualification for total tax exemption, and accumulated demands by the Inland Revenue

come as an unpleasant surprise.
A recent survey carried out by Employment Conditions Abroad put the British executive among the worst off in the whole of Western Europe, allowing for tax and cost of living adjustments. In most Third World countries, renuneration will include generous allowances for "hardship". Customary benefits such as boarding school education are out of the question for many employees paying out of their own pockets.

The current economic climate does nothing to help the returning em-ployee. It is an irony that while most companies use overseas tours as an (expensive) way of training their

Clare Raffael looks

at the problems of the expatriate

potentially brightest managers, it is often difficult to reintegrate them into diminished workforce. Temperamentally, those employees who cope well with the challenges of a foreign assignment often do not function equally well within the security of

The new head office position may well not have the same status and autonomy as the overseas posting. indeed, all too often no real job exists upon return.

It is easy to assume that returning from a three-year tour of duty overseas will produce the same effect as that of an extended three-week holiday. Nothing at home appears to have changed, but inevitably exposure to different cultures will change attitudes and outlook. Most expatriates suffer a "culture shock" every bit as traumatic as that which they experienced on first going abroad. Their ability to readjust often depends to a great extent on the attitude of their employers. Sadly, most large companies fail to appreciate the problems of coming home. A recent survey conducted in America found that only three per cent of expatriates were provided with specific guidance to help with the repatriation process. The percentage for UK-based multi-nationals would be even lower.

Relationships at work with new, and old, colleagues will naturally suffer at first. They may be jealous or uninterested. The unfortunate expatriate will be the butt of a thousand office jokes if he knows nothing of lan Botham's heroic performance in the Headingly Test of 1981.

Personal attitudes will need to be altered. The expatriate will be transformed from an exotic fish in a small pond to an insignificant minnow in the corporate sea. The experience of an international lifestyle produces a certain sophistication that often appears in the home environment as an assumption of superiority. This does nothing to endear the returnee to faithful friends and even less to acquaintances.

The major solution to the problem of re-entry (yes, this is the technical term) is to recognize and appreciate the seriousness of the problem. Cynical expatriates may feel they possess all the experience they could possibly need to cope with the difficulties, but a good professional debriefing session may alert even the most aware to some of the unpleasant surprises in store for them.

The author is Manager of Information and Enquiry Services, Employment Condition Abroad.

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on the importance

of appearance At the interview stage, perceived

health is more important than reality. Only the successful candidate normally goes for a medical.

There is one further element. Research suggests that most interviewers unconsciously decide to accept or reject the candidate in the first three or four minutes of the interview. As the interview has rarely progressed beyond amiable social exchanges in this time, it is clearly the appearance, bearing and manner of the candidate which is crucial. The subsequent stages of the interview can lead to a reversal of an early acceptance decision; but the research suggests that an early rejection is rarely reversed, however excellent the candidate's subsequent interview

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Today's television and radio programmes

Edited by Peter Davalle

BBC 1 6.00 Ceefax AM: News headlines eather, sport and traffic details which can be received

with any television set, with or without the Teletext facility. 6.30 Breakfast Time: Today's presenters are Nck Ross and Frank Bough. Includes news at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30. 8.00 and 8.30; Regional news at 6.45, 7.15, 7.45 and 8.15; Sport at 6.42, 7.18 and 8.18; Today's papers. at 7.32 and 8.32; Keep fit. tween 6.45 and 7.00; Tonight's TV (7.15-7.30); Your Stars (8.30-8.45). Elaine Page and Lewis Collins are the

guests of the day Closedown at 9.00. 10.10 For Schools, Colleges: Science Workshop: 10.32 A Visitor from Outer Space; 11.05 Near and Far; 11.30 Wales and the Americas: Patagonia: 11.50 Closedown,

12.30 News After Noon; 12.57 ncial Report. And news

1.00 Pebble Mili at One: includes an interview with Phil Everley, one half of the once-popular intervelwer is a fellow American, Paul Gambaccini; 1.45 Gran; 1.50 Stop-Gol; 2.00

2.15 For Schools, Colleges; Music Time (the Evening Star) and, at 2.40 Computer Club.

3.00 Four Score Years and Then . . Life in a genetric ward at a hospital in south-west London where patients are allowed to

3.55 Play School: Nick Wilson's story Which is My Room? (also on BBC 2, at 11.00 am); 4.20 The Drak Pelc cartoon; 4.40 Heidi: Episode 4: The blind grandmother (r); 5.05 John Craven's Newsround; 5.10 Blue Peter. We meet the new Blue Peter girl, and s Simon Groom frying eggs in the lave of Mount Etna,

Europe's highest mountain. 5.40 News: with Moria Stuart; 6.00 South East at Six.

6.25 Nationwide: The Real Price of Fame. The pressures and tensions which students at London's Italia Conti School have to cope with if they are eventually to end up in show

7.00 Tomorrow's World: science and technology magazine.

7.25 Top of the Pops: with John Peel and David Jense

8.00 Fame: More happenings at the New York High School for the Performing Arts. Guest star Jimmy Osmond upsets Coco by competing with her for the role of lead singer in the school's festival of music and dance.

8.50 Points of View: viewers letters get the Barry Took

9.00 News: with Michael Buerk. 9.25 Jury: Drama series which each week concentrates on a particular member of a jury hearing a rape case. Tonight it is the turn of the oldes member of the jury (Hugh Lloyd), an incurable optin

and romantic.

10.20 Question Time: Flanking Sir Robin Day at the Greenwood Theatre are Nell McIntosh, the Director of Shelter; Jim Mortimer, general secretary of the Labour Party; Ann Robinson, of the Daily Mirror; and Norman Tebitt, the Employment Secretary.

11.20 Everyman: Garabandal: After the Visions. Documentary about the impact of four Spanish girls' lives of the warnings they said they received from God, back in 1961 (r): 1.55 Weather.

Tv-am

6.00 Daybreak, with Gavin Scott. Followed by Good Morning Followed by Good Morning Britain, at 6.30 (presenters Lynda Berry and klick Owen), includes news at 6.00, 6.15, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 and 9.11; Morning papers at 6.33 and 8.33; Television at 7.50, guest celebrity at 8.20, Consumer news at 8.40, Style by Jury, at 8.50, and Bahy Talk by Jury, at 8.50, and Baby Talk with Aldan Macfarlane and Shelia Kitzinger at 9.05. Closedown at 9.15.

ITV/LONDON

9.30 For Schools: Summer wildlife: 9.47 Basic Maths: 10.64 Middle English; 10.21 Social education; 10.38 Search for Solutions; 11.01 Mountain climbing: 11.18 Fleetwood: 11.36 Comuters.

Gammon and Spinach, with Valerie Pitts; 12.10 Get up and Go! with Beryl Read; 12.30 The Sullivens: Grenade in the 12.00

1.00 News; 1.20 Thames area news; 1.30 Crown Court: The verdict in the case of the army deserter (Dominic Guard occused of wounding a young lad (r).

2.00 A Plus: Preparing for a A Place Propagating for 8 marriage. With columnist Marjorle Proops; 2.30 Racing from Newmarket: The big race is the 1,000 Guineas Stakes (at 3.15). The others are the 2.35 and the 3.45.

Children's ITV:Gammon and Spinach (r); 4.15 Dangermouse; episode 4 of Four Heads are Better than Two; 4.20 First Post: Viewers comments about children's TV programmes; 4.30 Rowan's Report Show jumper Peter Murphy in action at the Great Yorkshire Show; 4.4.5 Home: Drama serial, set in an Austra-

lian community welfare home. 5.15 Emmerdale Farm: the Yorkshire countryside seriel. 5.45 News; 6.00 Thames area news; 6.35 Thames Sport: with Derek Thompson. The outcome of yesterday's

England v Hungary match, 7.00 Knight Rider: Drama about gun-runners. With David Hasselhoff in the title role. 8.00 Michael Barrymore: The

comedian/singer/dancer/ impressionist stars in his own show (five more to come). With lade, the Bunch of Five, and Nicholas Lundhurst, Includes a comedy version of Play School and a sketch about two Mods. The dance routine is set to the music of the Elvis Presley hit

Minder: Looking for Mickey. Arthur (George Cole) thinks he has hit on the newspaper scoop of the decade when a prisoner (John Labanowski) escapes from lail seeking publicity for his attempt to get his sentence shortened. Co-starring Denis Waterman and

Diana Malin (r). 9.30 TV Eve: Children of God, Arti investigation into the history of this group whose members, are encouraged to prostitute themselves and take part in sexual activity with young children. The group has more than 500 members in Britain.

10.00 News from ITNL Followed by Thames news headines. 10.30 Studies Enlands 6 of this serial set in a recording studio. Art (Michael Feast) decides to record a live 'spectacular' in

the studio. 11.30 Lou Grant: Newspaper drama. Billie (Linda Kelsey) is investigating a murder. The man accused of the crime pleads that ghosts are to blame because he is convinced that the house where the killing took place is haunted. With Edward Asner. 12.25 Close: Barbara Leigh-Hunt reads from the works of

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Stephen Rae in Neil Jordan's film Angel (Channel 4, 9.30pm)

BBC 2

6.05 Open University: Maths; functions; 6.30 Conflict in the

7.20 Occupations; 7.45

11.00 Play School: see BBC1, 3.55

World Snocker: We see live

action in two of the semi-finals

from The Crucible, in Sheffield Further coverage at 6.55, 9.00, 10.20 and 11.50 - all on BBC2.

Who's Your Teacher, Mum? How Tanzania tackles the

Paint Your Garden Green: Children at Beechileid Primary

School, East Belfast, work or murals with the painter Neil

Carry) cannot manage on what Mr Humphries (George Arm-

strong) pays him. This is a sort

comedy series almed mainly at

teenagers. The format is that of a magazine for youngsters.

American drama series Fame.

Sheffield, and the Embassy

7.50 Meryl Streep at the National

actress Meryl Streep

Theatre: lain Johnstone

The French Lieutenant's

8.30 Food and Drink: Henry Kelly

suit all tastes. Tonicht.

where rhubarb has been

they call "the great sweetbread mystery".

9.00 World Snooker: Highlights from today's semi-final action in the Embassy World Cham-plonship, in Sheffield. Further

9.25 Britain in the Thirties: New

coverage at 10.20 and 11.50.

throws new light on the events

of half a century ago. Tonight's film is about the 24-

Attantic Fleet. The narration is

Canadian film about how

industry-polluted rain poisons the countryside. Introduced by

hour mutiny in September 1931 by men of Britain's

by Andrew Faulds (see

9.55 Nature Special: Acid Rain.

12.15 Open University: Measuring with light; 12.40 Other

People's Children, Ends at

Choice).

Tony Soper.

10.20 World Snooker.

11.00 Newsnight.

11.50 World Snooker.

nterviews Oscar-winning

"Sophie's Choice"). With clips

from movies such as Kramer v

and Susan Grossman present the first of 10 programmes to

ssisted by drinks expert Jilly

Goolden, they deal with Australian wines; the country

turned into a religion; and what

of follow-up to Grange Hit.

question of education.

5.00 Tucker's Luck: Tucker (Todd

5.25 Dear Hart: The return of this

Includes a spoof of the

It is called Fail.

6.55 World Snooker: Back to

6.50 News Summery.

semi-finals.

entry: 11.25 Closedo

of the Embassy World

2.45

Immigration officers

family: 8.55 Neuro-chemistry;

 BRITAIN IN THE THIRTIES (BBC 2, 9.25) sounds like and, in its opening titles (Odeon-type, front-of-cinema display) looks like, a senes about British cinema of that decade. But, with the exception of the programme to be screened on May 12, which is about Korde and his

fabulous reign at Denham, this clutch of documentaries is what producer or occumentaries is wrist producer Chistopher Cook calls "a sideways look" at topics that cast some light on the life, politics and culture of Britain half a century ago. Tonight's film throws a shaming light on Admirally men who were singularly lacking in honour for this is the story of the Interpretation or this is the story of the Interpretation or the life. of the invergorden mutiny of September 15, 1931 when, angered by a pay cut, the crews of the Atlantic Fleet refused to put to sea. The Admiralty promised that if the men called off their action, there would be no victimization. But there was, and

CHANNEL 4

southern Spain, teaching professional Adrian

showing eight termis players of all levels of proficiency how to improve their game

Tonight: racket, step, play.

Whiteley and Kenneth Williams. Contestants pit their

wits against each other in a knock-out competition.

series, with three actors (John Bleasdale, Helen Watson and

Mike Half) going through real-

painting and wallpapering, and the kitchen.

Kaos agents build is so life-like that Smart (Don Adams)

mistakes It for a fellow agent.

itel) who tonight coaches a

becomes a waiter, a lover and

life situations. Tonight, they work on a car (the exhuas!),

Stonebridge continues

With helpful cartoons by

5.30 Countdown: Words and numbers game with Richard

6.00 Anything We Can Do: DIY

6.30 Get Smart: The robot that

7.00 Channel Four News, It is

followed, at 7.50, by

8.00 The Optimist: Continuing the

sitent (i.e., no dialogue) adventures of Nigel (Enn

lady golfer and, in turn,

a car park attendant.

8.30 Alter image: Arts magazine. Includes A Trip through the

and sculpts in derelict

9.00 Soap: More pages from the weird scrapbook of the Tates

and Campbells. Tonight.
Jessica (Katherine Helmond)

daughter. Danny discovers who it is that he has to kill.

Film on Four: Angel (1982)

Rapid showing on television the film which has already

in London, Dublin and

scored a success in cinemas

Wardrobe of Your Mind (a

guide to fashion from the 1980s to the present day); Bruce Lacey on a tour of one of the non-electric fairs he organizes; and French artist

orge Rousse who paints

5.00 Tennis That Counts: Under the hot sun in Alicante,

CHOICE

very severe it was, too as we learn tonight from impeccable sources both below deck (ex-boy sailor) and above deck (ex-commander). Britain in the Thirties has made a very promising start.

 Scarcely a day goes by without Channel 4 offering further proof that it has the best movie policy of any of the four channels. This Saturday, for example, we have Mamoulian's example, we have marrounant's enchanting Love Me Tonight. On Sundey, it is Chaplin's A Woman of Paris and next Thursday, it is Skolimowski's Moonlighting. And tonight (9.30), still warm after its cinema presentations, there is Neil Lorden's ANGEL Lott in recent descriptions. Jordan's ANGEL, set in present-day Northern Ireland and charting the bloody vengeance exacted by a

Radio 4

6.08 News Briefing.
6.10 Farming Today. 6.25 Shipping Forecast.
6.30 Today, Including 6.45 Prayer for the Day. 6.35, 7.55 Westher.
7.00, 8.00 Today's News. 7.25, 8.25 Sport. 7.30, 8.30 News Briefing. 7.45 Thought for the Day. 8.35 Yesterday in Parliament. 8.57 Weather.
Travel.
9.00 News.

Nisbet. 10.45 Daily Service.t

documentary. 11.48 Enquire Within.

11.00 News; Travel. 11.03 The Police Bill: A Fair Cop? A

11.46 Engare whitat. 12.00 You and Yours. 12.27 Watson and Holmes. Carleton Hobbs and Norman Shelley in "The Greek Interpreter". 12.55 Weather; Travel; Programme

News.
1.00 The World at One: News.
1.40 The Archers. 1.55 Shipping
Forecast.
2.00 News.
2.02 Woman's Hour.

3.00 News.
3.02 Afternoon Theatre. "The Sentry Box" by William Ingram.!
4.00 News.
4.02 Just After Four.

young saxophone player (Stephen Rea, excellent) on the gang who carry out a double killing. Violent, of course, but tender too and photographed with many a poetic touch to balance the pictures of men driven to horrible extremes in a province where the taking of life has ecome almost an automatic gesture. Angel is not, however, a film

the religious divide is there, sure Radio highlights: An all-Beethoven BBC Welsh SO concert from Cardiff, including the incomparable Triple Concerto and the Fifth Symphony (Radio 4, 7.30 and 8.35); and one of radio's genuin and a.55; and the officer in auto's gentine masters, Wynford Vaughan-Thomas, jauntily continuing to ride on horseback through Wales (today, from Kidwelly to Dylan Thomas's Laugharne) on Radio 4 at 4.40pm.

about sectarian terrorism, although

4.40 The Way The Normans Rode (4): Kidwelly to Laughame, 5.50 PM: News magazine, 5.50 Shipping Forecast, 5.55 Weather; Programme News.
The Six O'Clock News: financial 6.30 Brain of Britain 1983.1

7.00 News. 7.05 The Archers. 7.25 The Archers.
7.20 Concert Prelude.†
7.30 BBC Welsh Symphony
Orchestra. Part 1: Beethoven.
We hear the overure Fidelio, and
the Concerto in C, Op 56, for
piano, viola, cello and
orchestra. The soloists are Peter
Frank

 Nows.
 Soon News.
 Soon News. Kirshbaum.t 9.30 The Lyrung 10.00 News. 10.02 Enterprise. People who have achieved success against the 8.15 Any Answers.
8.35 BBC Welsh Symphony
Orchestra. Part 2: Beethoven.
We hear the Symphony No 5 in
C minor, Op 67. From St David's
Hall, Cardiff.†
9.20 Kalleidoscope. Arts magazine.
9.50 Weather. odds. 10.30 Morning Story. "Miss Grey of Market Street" by Robert

9.20 Kaleidoscope, Arts magazine.
9.59 Weather.
11.00 The World Tonight: News.
11.00 A Book at Bachme "The Road to Oxiana" by Robert Byron (9).
11.15 The Financial World Tonight.
11.30 Today in Parliament.
12.00 News; Weather.
12.15 Shipping Foracast; Inshore Foracast.
ENGLAND: VHF with above except: 6.25-6.30 Weather;
Travel 9.05-10.45 For Schools:
9.05 Noticeboard, 9.10 A Service

pard. 9.10 A Service 9.86 Noticeours. 9.10 A Servi for Schools, 9.30 Spelling and Puncauation, 9.45 Spoken English, 9.55 Poetry Corner, 10.5 Sounds, Words and Movement, 10.20 Stories and Movement, 10.20 Stores and Rhymes, 10.30 Cook and Speak, 11.00-12.00 For Schooks, 11.00 Reading Music, 11.05 in the News, 11.30 Musicfil, 11.35 Why Don't You Get a Proper Job? (1), 1.55 pm Listening Corner, 2.60-3.00 For Schools: 2.00 Living Language. 2.20
Radio Geography. 2.40
Exploring Society. 11.00 Study
on 4: Another Door Opens. 11.30-12.19 Open University: 11.39 "Sweeney Agonistes". 11.50 Deputy Heads: The Case for Specialism.

Radio 3

6.55 Weather.
7.00 News.
7.05 Morning Concert Bach (Violan Concert in A minor (BWV 1041) Bruhns, Monterverdi, Marais, Zelenka; records.18.00News.
8.05 Morning Concert.
(Continued) Myalivecek,
Kreutzer, Liszt (Fantasy on Themes from Boethoven's The Buins of Athens) records.
8.00 News.

9.05 This Week's Composers Falla 16.00

This Week's Composers Falla and his Contemporaries; Tarrega, Guridi, Granados, Falla, records.† Goossens and Bax Orchestral works on record. The Goossens is the Symphony No 1.† Equate Brass arr John Miller, George Lloyd, Holborne, Malcolm Arnold.† Bournerouth Simfonietta 11.45 Bournemouth Sinfonietta

Schubert, Purcell art Britten, Bridge, Moeran (Sinfonietta) 1.00 News.
1.05 Bristol Lunchtime Concert direct from St George's, Brandon Hill Trips by C. P. E. Bach, Beethoven, Pasculli, Damase,†
2.00 L'Elsir D'Amore Opera in two

acts by Donizetti, sung in Italian; records. 1 4.20 Peter Walfisch Piano recital: Moscheles, Mendelssohn, Milhaud.1

4.55 News.
5.00 Meinly For Pleasuret
6.30 Bendstand Gus Band: Calvert,
Jacob, Sparis.†
7.00 Ebu String Quartet Days 1983
(new sense) First of five
programmes following this noncompetitive competition, †

competitive competition, †
8.00 Journey to Jura Play by James
Robson, About a re-visited 9.00 Trever Hold and Roger Cuitter Song recital with Jonathan Newth and Sue Jenkins.† 9.40 A Vision of the World. Short

story by John Cheever. 9.55 Clavichord Recital Valente. 10.20 Music in our Time Guerrero. laiffter, ibarrondo.f

11.15 News. VHF ONLY - OPEN UNIVERSITY 6.15am Meaning to Model.6.35-6.55 Inequalities. 11.20pm Maths Foundation Tutorial 11.49-12.00 Modern Art:

Radio 2

5.00 Ray Moore,† 7.30 Terry Wogan,†
10.00 Alan Whicker,† 12.00 Music While
You Work,† 12.30 Gloria Humitord,†
Including 2.02 Sports Desk, 2.30 Ed
Stawar,† 4.00 David Hamiton,†
Including 4.02, 5.30, Sports Desk, 6.00
John Dunn,† Including 6.45 Sport and
Classified Results, 7.30 Among Your
Souvenits;† 8.30 Country Club, 9.30
Star Sound Extra, 9.57 Sports Desk,
10.00 The Naws Headlines (new
sanes), 10.30 Russell Davies presents
Round Midnight (stereo from midnight). Round Midnight (stereo from midnight). 1,00 When Housewives Had The Choice?† 2,00-6,00 Ltz Allen presents You and the Night and the Music.†

Radio 1

6.00 Adrian John. 7.00 Mike Smith. 9.00 Smon Bates. 11.30 Sike Smith, including 12.30 Newsbest. 2.00 Steve Wright. 4.30 Pater Powell, including 5.30 Newsbest. 7.00 Talkabout. 8.00 David Jensen. 10.00 John Pael.† 12.00

Close. VHF Radios 1 and 2: 5.00am With Radio 2: 10.00 With Radio 1: 12.00-5.00am With Radio 2:

World Service 5.00 Newsdesk 5.30 Nature Notebook 6.40
The Farming World. 7.00 World News. 7.03
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News. 8.05 Reflections. 8.15 International
Soccar Special 8.30 John Peel. 8.00 World
News. 8.05 Research of the British Press. 9.15
The World Today. 9.30 Francial News. 9.45
Look Ahead. 8.45 Portrants of Our Time. 10.10
The Art of Darliel Berenbolm. 11.00 World
News. 11.05 News About Britain, 11.15 New
Ideas. 11.25 The Week in Wales. 11.30
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REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

BBC 1

Wales 12.57pm-1.00 News of Wales headlines. 3.53-3.55 News of Wales headlines. 6.0-6.26 Wales Today. 11.55 News of Wales headlines. Scotland manages not to confess her infidelity with the tennis coach who is having an affair with her 12.50pm Scottish News. 6.0-6.25 Reporting Scotland. 11.55 Scottish news summary. Northern Ireland 11,30-11,50am For Schools, 12,57 pm 1.00 Northern Ireland news. 3.53-3.55 Northern Ireland news. 6.0-8.25 Scene Around Six. 11.55 Northern Ireland news headlines. England 6.0-8.25pm Regional news magazines. 12.00 Close.

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GRANADA

As London except: 12.30pm-1.00 Two of Us. 1.20-1.30 Granada Reports. 2.00-2.30 Exchange Flags. 5.15-5.45 Does the Team Trank? 5.00 This is Your Right. 6.95 Crossroads. 7.05 Emmerdale Farm. 7.35-9.00 Falcon Crast. 10.30 Studio. 11.30 Hill Street Blues. 12.30as

elsewhere. The all-trish cast is

Starts 2.20pm Ffalabalam, 2.35 Hyn O Fyd, 2.55 Interval, 3.05 Hitler Gang, 4.50 Clwb S4C, 4.55 Pis-Pala, 5.00 Ffach Heulyn Dino Bach, 5.30 Dick Van Dyke Directed by Neil Jordan (see Choice). 11.10 What the Papers Say: with Simon Hoggart of The reuny one bach 2.30 box van byte Show, 6.00 Brockside, 6.30 Countdown 6.55 Gair Yn El Bryd, 7.00 Newyddion Saith, 7.30 Now a fi yn Nashville, 8.25 Mae'n Werth Troi'n Alltud, 9.05 St Elsewhere, 10.30 Vietnam, 11.25 Wise Man and the Wheet Mahatma Gandhi. Observer. 11.25 The Eagle, the Dragon, the Bear and Kampuchea: A

documentary about the nation (formerly Cambodia) caught in the centre of superpower politics. In the past decade, its people have known foreign invasion, civil strife, genocide and famine. Includes interviews with Prince Norodom Sihahouk, formerly the country's president, and with Sir Robert Jackson, the Deputy Secretary General of the United Nations. Ends at

ULSTER

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 Lunchtime. 5.15-5.45 Benson. 8.00 Good Evening, Ulster, 6.30 Police Six. 8.40 Crossroads. 7.05 Emmerdale Farm. 7.35-9.00 Falcon Crest. 10.30 CHANNEL

> As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 5.20-5.45 Crossroads. 6.90 Channel Report. 6.30 Gardens for All. 7.00 Cartoon, 7,10-9,00 Film: Sherioci Holmes in New York. As TSW. 11.08 Studio. 12.00 Life in France. 12.05am Trucking. 12.30 Closedown.

TVS As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 8.00 Coast to Coast. 5.40 Crossroads. 7.05 Enumerdate Farm. 7.35-9.00 Falcon Crest. 10.30 Seven Days. 11.00 Poor Billy Render, 11.30 House Calls. 12.00 Company, Closedown.

As London except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 5.15-5.45 Diffrent Strokes. 6.00 News. 6.40 Crossroads. 7.05 Emmerdale Farm. 7.35 Falcon Crest. 10.30 Out West. 11.00 Studio. 12.00 Berney Miller. 12,30am Closedown.

HTV WALES

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Tebbit hints at June election

By Barrie Clement Labour Reporter

The strongest hint yet that the Government is aiming for a June election came yesterday from Mr Norman Tebbit. Secretary of State for Employment, when he delivered what he described as a "scene setting" speech to the National Federation of Building Trades

Later he said: "I would much sooner be a Chancellor of the Exchequer coming into power now than when the Government took over in 1979".

Unless the Conservatives fare hadly in next month's local elections, his advice, as a special confidant of Mrs Margaret Thatcher, will be to go to the country in June.

Mr Tebbit's speech concentrated on the Government's long-term economic achievements, the evidence for the start of an economic recovery and the degree to which he thought trade unions were adjusting their policies to new labour relations legislation.

He said there were "some signs of an economy racing itself to resume normal and healthy growth". Consumer spending was running strongly. manufacturing output had been rising for four months in succession, car sales topped half a million in the three months to March and housebuilding was sharply up".

Although those were only indicators, they were much firmer than they were in the "false dawn" at the beginning of

He added that inflation was half the rate of a year ago, productivity had improved by 141, per cent over the last two years, government borrowing was among the lowest in the industrial world

Mr Tebbit's philosophies did not go unchallenged by his hosts. Mr Brian Hill, chairman of Higgs and Hill and president the building employers' national contractors' group, said the sector was heavily dependent on public sector

"Only in the last few months have we seen the first signs of the Government realizing how dangerously low has been the nation's investment in

Thousands wait to visit their husband's graves

Bitterness of the forgotten widows Dy renchael Horsnell The last time Ivy Cowan heard from her husband, Fusilier Edgar Cowan of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, was at 11am on Christmas Day, 1943, when an airmail language of the save that the Ministry of Defence save the Ministry of Defence save that the Ministry of Defence save that the Ministry of Defence save the Ministry of De

airmail letter dated November 22 arrived from Italy together with a number of Christmas cards and a buff envelope.

The letter spoke of fierce fighting on the Aidriatic coast near Pescara but told her not to

Mrs Cowan, then 36 and married for five years with a daughter. Jean aged 21/2, devoured the letter at the family home in Edmonton, north London. However her father, Henry Smithers, an invalided retired clerk glanced anxiously at the buff envelope and insisted that she open it. It contained a telegram from

the War Office which regretted to announce that Fusilier Cowan, aged 31, a Scotsman living in London, had been killed in action on December 2 He had been shot through the left eye by German troops defending a farmhouse near the village of San Vito during the Eighth Army advance through

Mrs Cowan ran out of the house pursued by a neighbour as Jean screamed for her daddy. No one in the street enjoyed Christmas lunch.

There was a moment's hope as the family noticed that the War Office had got Edgar's service number wrong. But a telephone call to London

If Hilda Thornton were 20

years younger she would serve

in the vanguard of the war

widows' campaign for govern-

ment assistance to enable those

who kept the home fires burning

visit their husbands' overseas

graves. But Mrs Thornton, at

101 and reputedly the oldest war

widow in the country, is obliged

to follow the campaign in

Colour Sergeant Philip Thornton, a veteran of the Boer

War and the North-West Frontier of India, was killed on

October 13, 1914, when the 1st

Battalion of the Royal War-

wickshire Regiment helped storm German defensive pos-

itions at the village of Meteren

in northern France during the

newspapers and on television.



Fusilier Edgar Cowan (left) and Colour Sergeant Philip Thornton

confirmed merely a clerical error. The next month a family photograph which he had kept in his left breast pocket was returned blood-stained to his

and wedding ring.

"I felt as though the world had just crashed in around me". Mrs Cowan, now aged 76, said.

tea-lady, now lives an empty life on a war widow's pension of Government embarrassment. widow together with his watch £51 plus a retirement pension. "It's been a lifetime's yearn-

"After 40 years you cannot country."

Mrs Cowan, who during the help feel forgotten. If war next 40 years took work as a widows like I, who cannot seamstress, shop assistant and afford the visit, were all to die quickly it would save the

"I do not begrudge the Falklands widows their oppor-

'We have been shabbily treated'



Mrs Thornton holding her husband's cap badge

advance to Armentières.
Thornton, aged 33, holder of seven medals including the Medaille Militaire and the servicemen at Meteren military cemetary near Bailleul. Today Mrs Thornton, the oldest resident of the homely DCM, is buried with 748 other and attractive Coombs home for

Gloucestershire, is sufficiently stout of heart to attack this government and its predecessors Prondly bearing her hus-

band's regimental cap badge inscribed South Africa 1900-02' she said: "There was a War Office telegram to say he had been killed. But I knew anyway. It was at five o'clock in the morning and he died almost at once, calling to me and I heard him. We were boy and girl sweethearts together and he is still with me."

She added: "The widows of both world wars have been shabbily treated. Some had six children with nothing to live on and had to go scrubbing and washing when their husbands had died for their country. It was very tough. Fancy having to rely on your relations for

are right in asking for help to visit their hasbands' graves. It's too late for me but a lot them have nothing else left.

Hess son says father should see diaries

frail and living in seclusion in Bavaria, has long maintained that her husband's flight to Scotland in 1941 was undertaken with the knowledge of Hitler, and that Hess had kept silent of this to fulfil the promise he had made to Hitler before leaving Germany.

Meanwhile in London, Lord James Donglas-Hamilton, Conservative MP for Edinburgh West and son of the lare Duke of Hamilton, who Rudloph Hess was seeking to contact on his 1941 peace mission, said yesterday that he did not believe the section of Hitler's diaries dealing with the episode was authentic, our foreign staff

Lord James, author of Motive fo a Mission, which describes the Hess affair, added: "I think there is absolutely no reason to believe this part of the document is genuine. I have many reasons for believing it is not." He said reports of the diaries' contents contained "absolutely nothing" to oblige him to alter his interpretation of the Hess mission Hess he explained while imprisoned with Hitler in 1924, had taken down in dictation the passage of Mein Kampf in which Hitler had said Germany must never again

In May, 1941, Hess knew Hitler was planning to invade Russia. Hess was determined to conclude peace with Britain first. He also wished to restore his sagging infuence with Hitler. Hess had chosen the Duke of Hamilton as a contact because of a shared interest in aviation and because an adviser of Hess. Albrecht Haushofer, had told him that the Duke was well connected in London with Churchill and King George VI, Lord James released to The Times a previously unpublished letter of August, 1980, from Herr Wolf-Rudiger Hess, in which Herr Hess confirmed his father had not met the Duke at a dinner attended by both men during the 1936 Olympic

Games. Moves to open all the British files dealing with the Hess affair are likely to fail. Some material is retained for 75 years under Section 5 (1) of the Public Records Act. 1958. The reason can be gleaned from the published diary of the late Lord Cadogan, Permanent Secretary to the Foreign Office in 1941.

Frank Johnson in the Commons

Coming soon - licences to lose money

Mr William Whitelaw, the Home Secretary, yesterday made a statement to the House announcing Government's policy on cable

television. in short, the Government was in favour of it. Where-upon Mr Roy Hattersley, the chief Opposition spokesman on home affairs, rose to give the Labour reaction.

"We on these benches regard cable television as potentially a great benefit to the nation as long as it is properly supervised and con-The very words will strike

boredom into the hearts of viewers throughout the country. It is to escape a television system that was "properly supervised and controlled" that they have been fleeing in their millions to the videos. But for complex and tedi-ous political reasons it is

necessary for Mr Hattersley. whenever broadcasting is discussed in the House, to whenever depict himself as a figure in comparison with whom Lord Reith looks like Billy Smart. So Mr Hattersley doggedly strove to give the impression that he was in favour of cable

television provided it was as much like Channel 4 as possible. One got the im-pression from him, and from later Labour backbench ques-tioners of Mr Whitelaw, that ideally the Labour Party would like cable television to be so supervised and con-trolled as to exceed the feat of both Channel 4 and breakfast television and have no audience measurable to statistics at

Labour members were particularly worried about the idea that people might make a lot of money out of this new form of television. Understandably, this brought the Tory bankbencher, Mr Jonathan Aitken, wearily to his feet to utter à protest. He is the man who, like

some traveller in science fiction, peers out into the void, from his control panel behind the breakfast television screen, in the hope of making contact with intelligent beings who may be receiving his electronic mess

"In view of the concern that has been expressed by Labour members about the profits to be made out of cable television," Mr Aitken smilingly

Secretary consider serious the view that these also franchises, like some others can think of may well turn out to be licences to money." Mr Aither War speaking from the wealth of experience which he had derived from televisions though not, alas, from the

wealth of money.
He urged Mr Whitelaw to make sure that the finances of the cable operators were solid and cautious indeed. Above all, he no doubt felt, those should be as many people as possible on cable television shows who resemble Me Ordinary, the man on whom Mr Aitken is relying to retrieve his fortune.

The sight of Mr Aitken man who was in the process of losing a lot of money television, temporarily raised morale on the Labour benches. But not for long Despin the innermost beliefs of the Labour movement is the profoundly held conviction that everyone connected wift television makes a fortune our of it, except Mr Jon Piler, who does it for world peace

"If the number of additional television channels are left to the whims of market forces. it will only produce the lowest common denominator and more violence, materialism and result in a further weakening of the social labric." warned the Labour member for Bolsover, Mr Dennis Skinner, revening a new talent as an Arnokian critic of mass culture. The Bolsover School of elitist social criticism turned out to be way above the Home Secretary's head.

On one matter all members: were agreed. "So-called adult channels have no place on the sort of cable systems which the Government wishes to see develop," said Mr Whitelaw, thus dealing a blow to-Britain's pornography industry, threatened as it is by

Scandinavian competition.
There were cries of "hear, hear," from MPs on both sides of the House, even though many of them were adults. We very much welcome the Home Secretary's rejection of adult channels," said Mr Hattersley virtuously.

It was an impressive show of unity against the threat of adult channels, a threat which,

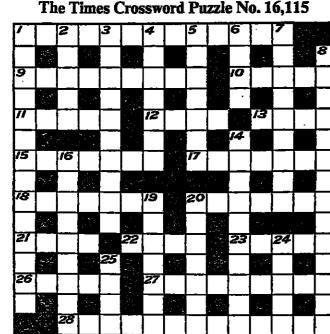
THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

Today's events

Royal engagements
Queen Elizabeth the Queen
Mother lays a wreath on the grave of
David Livingstone in Westminister

The Duke of Gloucester visits Robert Burns Cottage, Alloway Village, Scotland, 11.05; Ayr

The Duchess of Gloucester opens
Dorton House School for the Blind, The Duke of Kent, as First Grand eme Grand Chapter of England, attends the Royal Arch Investiture at Free-masons' Hall, 11.30.



ACROSS

1 There was nothing in her closet but a modest gown! (6, 7) 9 Fellow-resident I try to clean out at cards? (9).

10 Music hall – opening for dancing

number (4).
13 Circus celebrity has sore back

18 Country mansion let by arrangement in Washington (7).
29 Northern Ireland group in

Recognizes, say, the smell of tobacco for instance (4).

22 One in a race in Borrow's Lavenero (4).
23 James I offers Sydney a spot of leisure (5). 26 Italian city named in sea-trip (5). Apparatus of Scotch manufac-nire destined to be abortive (9).

Beautifully got up like a dish at a Borgia feast? (7, 2, 4).

1 Brother setting up the old firm in sharp practice (6, 8).

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Jock's chimney (7). Having the lordly

combat (7).

Greek champion (7).

The lad died in any case! (4).
Attachment warranted to shatter

Uproar in northern town over a fictitious bear (10).

16 Dora set out with a note of

anchorage (9).

Joins forces in French scene of

six, worked with a shovel (7). Bereaved widow booked wrong

ly on a motorway (5). 25 A mere reddish pigment (4).

Solution of Puzzie No. 16.114

traditions, nothing less (9).

Agricultural Show. Ayr Racecourse.
11.50.
The Duchess of Gloucester opens
Norwich. 11.

at Grosvenor House Hotel, London 12.10.

New exhibitions

landscape, figure and flower drawings by Peter Utton, The Looking Glass Gallery of Modern Arts, 52 Halifax Road, Todmerden: Tues to Sat, 10 to 5.30 (until May 28). Exhibitions in progress

Inner Worlds: Symbolic works selected by Paul Overy. Gardner Centre Gallery, Sussex University. Brighton; Mon to Sat 10 to 6 (until May 11). Last chance to see

A Brush With Nature: Cecil Higgins Art Gallery, Castle Close, Bedford; 12.30 to 5 (ends today).

Recent works by Neil Dallas Brown, Collins Gallery, Strathclyde University, 22 Richmond Street, Glasgow, 10 to 5 (ends today).

Talks, lectures Being an illustrator, by Quentin

Blake, author and illustrator of children's books, Clarendon Press Centre, Walton Street, Oxford, 8. Concert by the Bournemouth Sinfonietta, King's School, Ottery

Sinfonietta, King's School, Ottery St Mary, 7.30. Concert by BBC Northern Symphony Orchestra. Great Hall, Lancaster University, 7.30. Recital by Leonard Friedman (violin) and Allan Schiller (piano), Violin) and Anali Schmie (Mano), Bonar Hall, Dundee, 7.30. Concert by Chilingirian String Quartet, Malvern Concert Club, Festival Theatre, Malvern, 7.45.

Recital by Nigel Kennedy (violin) and English Sinfometta, Worksop Mozart and Schubert concert, Northern Sinfonia of England, St Cuthbert's, Carlisle, 7.30. Concert by City of Birmingham mphony Orchestra, Worcester Cathedral, 7.30.
Concert by

Concert by Mladi Mere Parish Church, Heather Harper (sporano). The Diamond, New University of Ulster, Coleraine, 8. Concert by BBC Welsh Symphony Orchestra, St David's Hall, Cardiff, 7.30

Concert by Herscel Ensemble, University Hall, Bath, 7.30. Winterreise, Schubert, by Peter Allanson (baritone) and Kenneth Mobbs (1928 Vienness fortepiano), Wills Memorial Parilding Palent Vills Memorial Building, Bristo

General betland Folk Festival; for details telephone Shetland Tourist Organi-zation, 0595 3434. The Old Schoolroom, Swymbridge, North Devon, 2.30 to 7, 8.30 to 10

Recent books – fiction

Norwich. 11.

Princess Alexandra attends the tenth annual luncheon of the Appeals Committee, Women's National Cancer Control Campaign, of Committee, Literary Editor's selection of interesting novels published this month:

Flying to Nowhere, by John Fuller (Salamander Press, £4.95).

In Search of Love and Beauty, by Ruth Prawer Jhabvala (John Murray, £8.50).

Listeners, by Sality Emerson (Michael Joseph, £7.95).

Lord of the Dance, by Robin Lloyd-Jones (Golfancz, 28.95).
Minoteur, by Benjamin Tammuz (Enigma Books, £7.95.
Not by Bread Abone, by Naonti Mitchison (Marion Boyars, £7.95).
Retee of Exchange, by Malcohim Bradbury (Secker & Warburg, £7.95).
The Philosopher's Pupil, by Irle Murdoch (Chatto & Windus, £7.95).
The Private Life of Oscar Wilde, by Peter Ackroyd (Hamish Hamilton, £7.95).

Anniveraries

Births: Edward IV (reigned 1461 70, 71-83), Rouen, 1442; James Mouroe, fifth president of the United States, Westmoreland counthird states, westmore and country, Virginia, 1758; Frances Hodg kins, painter, Dunedin, New Zealand, 1869. Sir Charles Bell, anatomist, died at North Hallow, Worcestershire, 1842. Matiny on the Bounty, 1789.

French dock strike

The Union representing French port personnel has called a four national strike tomorrow a breakdown in wage talks with port authorities (Reuter reports). The strike will affect France's 32 largest ports and will be followed by about is similar stoppages over the nex

Parliament today

Commons (2.30): Finance Bill committee, third day.

Lords (3): Housing and Building Control. Bill, committee, second.

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Roads London and South-east: A3: Roadworks south of Guildford at M11: One lane only northbound between functions and 7 (Harlow). M2: Lanes closed each way between junctions 1 (Chertsey) and 4 (Camberley).

Wales and West: M5: Lanes closed both ways between junctions 23 and 24 near Bridgwater in addition to existing roadworks in

two miles east of Llandovery. A55 Roadworks at Conwy Bridge.

Midlands and East Anglia: A10 Temporary signals at Southery between Downam Market and Ely. M54: Lane closures both ways on Telford bypass; diversion at junc-tion 5. A429: Roadworks south of Wellesbourne from Lexley Turn to

Somerset. A 40: Temporary sign

ways between junctions 22 (Bradford, Halifax) and 26 (Ripponden).
A19: Northbound carriageway closed from Low Hills Bridge to Jackson Mill, slip road closures and diversions. A41/B5069: Roadworks at Hampton Heath, north-east o

Malpas.

Scotland: A75: Great Western Road, Glasgow, closed eastbound for sewer repairs. A75:One lane only, temporary signals 24hr a day, at Threave Bridge west of Castle Douglas, Kirkendbright. M& Eastbound access at junction 13 from Provan Road closed 9.30am to 4pm: diversion signal. diversion signed.

Information supplied by the AA.

Lighting-up time

The papers

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Pressure will remain low over Britain.

6 am to midnight

London, East Anglia, Midlands, E., Central N, NE England: Sunny periods after a misty start, scattered showers; wind mainly S, light; max 12 to 14C (54 in 57). to 57F).

SE, Central S, SW, NW England, Channel Islands, Wales, Lake District, Isle of Marr. Surnry periods, showers, heavy at times; wind SW, light to moderate: max 12 to 13C (54 to 55F).

Borders, Edinburgh, Dundee, Aberdeen, SW Scotland, Glasgow, Central Highlands, Argyll, N Ireland: Some rain, bright or surnry intervals later; wind W to NW, moderate to fresh; max 10 to 11C (50 to 52F).

Morey Firth, NE and NW Scotland, Orlansy, Shetland: Mostly cloudy with hill foo, rain at times, heavy in places:

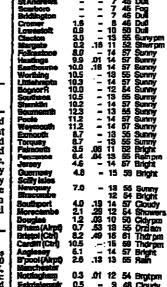
morey Pritti, Ne and NW Scotent, orkinsy, Shatland: Mostly cloudy with hill fog, rain at times, heavy in places: wind mainly NE, fresh to strong locally, perhaps gale; max 8 to 9C (46 to 48F). Outlook for tonouncer and Saturday: Sunny intervals and showers, heavy and thundery in places. Temperatures hear or rather below normal.

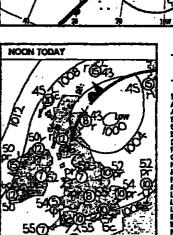
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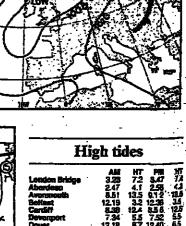
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Around Britain







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